

Stelle Relinquishes His Claim to "Acting Governorship" to Preside in Senate as Assembly Convenes

Legislators Meet in Special Session: Receive Message

Springfield, Ill., April 30.—(AP)—Lieut. Governor John Stelle automatically relinquished his claim as acting governor of Illinois today when he presided over the senate at the opening of a special session of the legislature.

Stelle's move, apparently dissolving for the present at least the heated Democratic factional feud over Governor Horner's illness, was accompanied by these other developments on the opening day of the extra session:

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Uncompensated

Lansing, Mich., April 30.—(AP)—Alexander Ripan, 49, Indiana Harbor, Ind., cobbler who served nearly 13 years in Southern Michigan prison for a murder of which he was innocent, was denied compensation today for work performed while in prison.

Ripan had contended before the Michigan Court of Claims that he was entitled to \$10,000 for services while he was serving a sentence of life at hard labor. Circuit Judge Leland W. Carr of Ingham county, who presided at the hearing, ruled untenable Ripan's argument that pronouncement of sentence implied a contract that he would be paid for his work.

Ripan was released from prison late in 1928 after his murder conviction was reopened and firearms experts said tests showed his gun could not have fired the fatal shot.

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Wife of Teacher, Killed in Sleep, Claims Accident

Carbondale, Ill., April 30.—(AP)—L. C. Petersen, 62, Southern Illinois Normal University professor, died in a hospital here today of a pistol wound in the chest which, State's Attorney Clarence Wright said, was inflicted by his wife, Maud, 57.

The Jackson county prosecutor said Mrs. Petersen, on a verge of collapse after relating that she accidentally shot her husband at their home here last night, was held without charges in the hospital where her husband died, pending an inquest late this afternoon.

Three blood transfusions were given her husband early this morning in a vain attempt to save his life, but he died 10 hours after the shooting.

State's Attorney Wright said Mrs. Petersen told him and Sheriff Cecil Brayshaw her husband was shot when a gun she was examining in the study of their home about 10 P. M. accidentally was discharged. Petersen, who had fallen asleep in his chair at the study table was struck in the chest near the heart and the bullet passed through his body, lodging in his clothing.

Awakened by Explosion

Later he said he did not know he was wounded but was awakened by "an explosion which he believed to be a shot" and he called a neighbor, W. W. Trobaugh. Trobaugh found him lying on a bed, discovered he was wounded and summoned a physician.

The prosecutor said Mrs. Petersen told him she ran out of the front door of the home after the shooting, realized she still had the gun in her hand and ran back into the house to hide it in the coal pile in the basement. Then she went to the home of a neighbor and later joined her husband at the hospital, Wright continued.

The officers found the weapon, a .32 calibre pistol, in the coal pile.

Wright said Mrs. Petersen told him she bought it at a hardware store here early this month because there had been some prowlers in the neighborhood and that her husband did not know she had the weapon.

Petersen, a native of Norway, was the oldest member of the faculty of the Normal university in point of service, having been an instructor and professor in the industrial arts department for 32 years. He was in charge of that department when killed.

Roscoe Pulliam, president of the university said a memorial service would be held there Thursday morning.

Second Meeting of Milk Handlers Here

The second in a series of three meetings which have been planned by the state department of public health for milk plant owners, operators and employees, will be held at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening in the Council room at the City hall in Dixon.

The program will include a lecture on "Insect Control in Milk Plants" by S. V. Layton, Department of Public Health; "Scheduling of Plant Operations" by Don Richards of Kewanee; and sound films, "Milk Sales Promotion".

The third session is to be in the form of a dinner meeting at the Hotel Nachusa in Dixon at 6 p. m., May 22. About 50 milk plant owners and operators attended the opening meeting on April 24.

AMBOY'S POPULATION

Loretta L. Grant, district supervisor of the census, announced from her office in Freeport today that the population of Amboy, as shown by a preliminary count of the returns of the sixteenth census, taken as of April 1, 1935, as compared with 1922 on April 1, 1930. The 1940 figures are preliminary and subject to correction.

FOUNTAIN MOVED

The massive granite drinking fountain which was donated to the city by the local W. C. T. U. (Continued on Page 6)

WALNUT YOUTH'S INJURIES PROVE FATAL LAST EVE

Winfield O'Dell Passes Away at Princeton Hospital Monday

(Telegraph Special Service) Walnut, April 30.—Injuries, received Sunday evening when an automobile in which he and three other youths were riding crashed into a truck on route 92 about a mile and a half east of Van Orin, caused the death of Winfield O'Dell, 16-year-old son of Mrs. Lenna O'Dell, Walnut widow, in the Perry memorial hospital at Princeton at 6:10 p. m. Monday.

The boy suffered a fractured skull and multiple additional injuries. The condition of Leland Wolf, Walnut high school senior, also injured in the wreck, was pronounced less serious and he was taken home this morning. Donald Piper, 19, of north of Ohio, driver of the car, and Kenneth Tower of Mendota, are recovering from the injuries they received in the accident.

Both Eastbound

Both the automobile and the truck, the latter belonging to the Sperroni Carnival company, of Rock Falls, and driven by James Kearns, of Council Bluffs, Ia., who was not injured, were eastbound at the time of the crash, the truck in the lead. While the truck traveled slowly up a grade, it was said, the other car rammed into its rear.

State Highway Patrolman C. W. Frederickson, of Princeton, and Jack Barry, of Sheffield, were today investigating reports that lights were not burning at the rear of the carnival truck.

The automobile was practically demolished and the truck was damaged so extensively that its cargo had to be picked up by another truck and taken to Mendota where the Sperroni carnival opened last night.

Funeral Thursday

Coroner Arthur A. Meyer of Bureau county planned to hold an inquest into the O'Dell lad's death at the Ross funeral home here today.

The funeral of Winfield will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at his mother's home, the Rev. W. T. Strerret, pastor of the Methodist church, of which the youth was a member, officiating.

Winfield was born in Walnut April 25, 1924 and is survived by his mother and two brothers, Ben and Paul, both of Walnut. His father preceded him in death in 1926.

Orders Inquest Into Death of State Ward

Miss Cordelia Schmidt, 24, of Chicago, classified as a high grade mental defective patient at the Dixon state hospital, died this morning shortly after 7 o'clock, 40 minutes after she had broken into a medicine cabinet in one of the cottages and swallowed a quantity of medicine. Officials at the institute notified Dr. Kenyon B. Segner, coroner, who ordered an autopsy and an inquest was scheduled for 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The young woman was reported to have separated herself from the group of patients about 6:30 this morning, and to have broken into the medicine cabinet in the cottage dispensary. She was said to have swallowed the contents of a bottle of medicine and shortly afterward she became violently ill and passed away about 40 minutes later.

IN TRAFFIC COURT

Four violators of city traffic ordinances faced Police Magistrate James E. Bales in police court over the week end. Herman Hoffman, Alvin Prebil and John Murray paid fines of \$1 and costs for failure to heed intersection stop signs. Ralph Enstrom of Freeport paid a fine of \$5 and costs on a speeding charge.

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Honors will be accorded 1,042 outstanding scholars among the 11,676 students enrolled this semester on the downstate campus. Albert J. Harno, dean of the University College of Law, will be the convocation speaker. The Convocation, starting at 10 a. m., will be broadcast by the University's radio station WLL, (550 kc.).

Names of 43 seniors to be listed on the permanent bronze tablet—highest scholastic award—will not be announced until the plaque is unveiled on Friday. "College Honors" will be accorded 212 students in the upper three per cent of each class. "Class Honors" recognition will go to 828 students in the upper 10 per cent of their classes.

LOCAL WEATHER

For the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today: maximum temperature 74, minimum 49; precipitation .17 inches, total for April 3.21 inches; total for year to date, 9.03 inches. Wednesday, sun rises at 4:59; sets at 6:55.

Tornado Cuts 10-Mile Swath Near Pontiac; 1 Killed

Pontiac, Ill., April 30.—(AP)—A tornado cut a 10-mile swath southwest of Pontiac late yesterday, leaving in its wake one dead, several injured and scores of wrecked farm buildings.

Unofficial estimates of the damage ranged from \$60,000 to \$100,000.

Fred Weber, 38 and blind, was killed when the twister hit and virtually demolished his farm home six miles southwest of here. His mother was pinned temporarily under a hot stove but, like her daughter, suffered only minor injuries. Alfred Hanke, a neighbor who was visiting the Webers, clung to a heavy refrigerator to keep from being blown away.

Tourist cabins and a roadhouse on highway 66 were leveled. Trees were uprooted and power and telephone lines were broken.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gutt of Chicago were taken to a hospital here for treatment of injuries received when a tourist cabin blew down. Others treated were Mrs. Pearl Bowman, 60, of West Pontiac, and Mrs. Florence Sotos, and Mildred Murphy, owner of the Green Parrott roadhouse on route 66.

Dug from Wreckage

Mrs. Bowman was dug from the wreckage of her home. She suffered a crushed chest but other members of her family were uninjured.

The twister was reported to have struck first near San Jose, south of Delavan, and was accompanied by heavy rain and hail.

Farm folk scuttled to storm cellars as the tornado whipped across the prairie land. Philip Weyrich, his wife and their two children reached a root house and safety a few minutes before the tornado ripped the roof from their home, wrecked outbuildings and moved a one-ton metal tank 40 feet.

At Hopedale, farm buildings were moved off foundations on the Amos Wittig and Mrs. Esther Sherts farms. The top of a concrete dairy barn at the Frederick Sartzenruber farm was whipped away and outbuildings were leveled at the C. D. Nafziger farm. Similar damage was caused to farm buildings near Minier and Gridley.

Gone With the Wind

Scores of windows were shattered in Delavan. Several girls among high school students fainted while watching the tornado from the school windows.

A corn crib and 3,000 bushels of corn disappeared with the wind at the Ned Yontz farm near San Jose.

Arthur Connell of near San Jose said the wind tore his trousers to shreds while he was lying in a field. His wife and daughter found safety in a cellar while the twister leveled a barn and sheds and tore off the farmhouse roof.

William F. Franks and John Abraham, employees in the state motor carriers division, parked their car on route 66 near Pontiac and clung to it. Franks said he was wrenched loose by the wind and carried over a 10-foot billboard. He was uninjured.

Abraham likewise escaped injury. He kept his hold on the car but the twister filled his pockets and hair with small rocks and pebbles.

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LOCAL WEATHER

Southern Half of Norway Falls Into Nazi Hands Like Ripe Plum: Gap Between Columns is Closed

Dombas, Important Railway Center, is Captured

International

(By The Associated Press)

Berlin—Germans announce land link connecting Oslo and Trondheim, report Dombas captured, two or three enemy submarines sunk, six transports sunk or damaged.

London—British acknowledge loss of two submarines and two trawlers; admit heavy Nazi pressure in central Norway despite new allied landings; Støren reported lost to Germans; British-Russian trade negotiations stymied; claim air successes on Norwegian coast.

Budapest—Hungary warns German-protected Slovakia of action if rights of Hungarian minority in Slovakia are not respected.

Paris—Air battles in Norway reported extensive; western front still stalemated.

On the Steinkjer front—German troops dress in Norwegian peasant garb to get through allied lines.

(By The Associated Press)

The southern half of Norway apparently was falling today like a ripe plum into the hands of the German invaders.

Official announcements in Berlin reported two important successes. They said:

1. The Nazi expeditionary force has bridged the last gap between its columns moving north and northwest from Oslo and south from Trondheim.

2. Dombas, vital railroad junction 100 miles south of Nazi-held Trondheim, has been captured by the Germans.

There were no details in Berlin on the reported seizure of Dombas, where allied forces had tried to stop the German steamroller in several days of heavy fighting.

The meeting of the two Nazi columns was southwest of Støren, another vital railroad junction about 80 miles north of Dombas.

Adolf Hitler prepared a special order of the day to praise the German soldiers who established the connection, driving back allied forces which apparently were unable to cope with the Nazi power despite the arrival of reinforcements.

To Defend Their Hold

Although the German line evidently is long and thin, it means that Nazi forces have laid down a front to defend their hold on southern Norway—the important part of the invaded kingdom.

It means that the Germans are in position to isolate allied forces which advanced inland from the coast to try to stem the lightning Nazi drive toward Trondheim.

It means that the Germans have attained a strategic hold on communications and have turned the tables on the allies' effort to cut off Trondheim from the Norwegian interior with forces moving north along the seaboard from Andalsnes and south from Namsskogan.

A military source in London said the Germans had captured the important railway junction of Støren, 30 miles south of Trondheim, and described the allied position in the Dombas sector as difficult.

Although the report that Støren had been captured was not confirmed officially in London, informants conceded that the allies were under heavy pressure in that sector.

Contact Announced

A brief German communique said the land contact had been made southwest of Støren between Nazi troops "advancing north from Oslo by way of Tynset and south from Trondheim."

The War Today!

Intimations from high sources that Italy is headed for participation in the European war—spoken with great firmness, though purposely vague as to why, when, where and with whom—have been coming out of Rome with increasing frequency.

These statements, coupled with even more pointed remarks in the press, bear all the earmarks of propaganda directed toward a specific end. It is natural, therefore, that Europe should have embarked on another anxious guessing-see as to what Signor Mussolini's intentions are.

I have said before that the indications were that Duce would remain out of the war as long as he could, and then adopt a course which would best serve Italy's interests. Circumstances at the moment probably would determine the side on which those interests lay.

Be it remarked here that the Duce is a thoroughly practical individual who isn't swayed by his

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is acknowledged in London. The railroad lines through the Gudbrands and Otter valleys—along which the Germans are driving north of Oslo—merge there and run as one to Nazi-held Trondheim.

On other Norwegian fronts, the German communique reported: Rapid progress toward Bergen, on the southwest coast;

Heavy air attacks on allied positions in the Namsskogan and Andalsnes regions, flanking Trondheim on the north and south, with six ships sunk or severely damaged and bases set afire;

Two or three "enemy submarines" victims of "the German U-boat hunt in the Skagerrak and Kattegat";

Reports of extensive air battles in Norway, which one source described as the greatest in history, held the French war ministry's attention as developments on the western front remained at a virtual standstill.

British Difficulties

An authoritative British source said that two German planes were damaged in battles with British aircraft off the Norwegian coast.

The British apparently were encountering difficulties also on the diplomatic front.

Sources close to the foreign office in London said Soviet Russia had deemed British offers to negotiate a trade agreement as unsatisfactory.

The obstacle, these sources indicated, was Russia's insistence that exports of goods to Germany be "her own affair" but, they said, the Soviet position is "still under consideration."

Meanwhile, potential trouble brewed in southeast Europe where Hungary warned German-protected Slovakia that she would "not hesitate to act in defense of her national honor" if the rights of the Hungarian minority in Slovakia were not respected.

The warning, read by Foreign Minister Count Tisza in the Hungarian parliament, declared Slovakia must effect remedies quickly.

Casualty Reports

According to Swedish reports, allied reinforcements in Norway landed at Sundfjord, north-east of Andalsnes, and at Nord and Sogne fjords, to the southeast.

Casualty reports seeping through from the front lines indicated that land fighting in Norway has not as yet been heavy. On the Steinkjer front, for instance, where the British retreated last after contacting the Germans, Norwegians said that their total losses in the past few days have amounted to about 30 men.

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SUBLETTE BOARD ORDERS SALOONS CLOSED SUNDAYS

Action Followed Alleged Attempted Assault on Little Girl

At a specially called meeting of the Sublette village board held last evening, which State's Attorney Edward A. Jones attended, saloons of that place were ordered to be closed all day on Sundays, beginning next Sunday. The state's attorney advised the members of the village board to take immediate and drastic action in connection with the closing of the saloons, following an allegedly vicious affair which occurred west of Sublette Sunday afternoon, as well as previous happenings in that vicinity.

Sheriff Gilbert Finch and Deputy LeRoy Bates went to Elgin yesterday afternoon where with the assistance of Elgin police, they apprehended Phillip "Red" Sheehan, 36, Amboy garage mechanic, who is charged with a serious offense. In Police Magistrate James E. Bales' court this morning, Sheehan was held under bond of \$2,000 on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor child and in default of bond, was remanded to the county jail.

Sheehan is alleged to have enticed a girl slightly above eight years of age to accompany him Sunday afternoon, and west of Sublette to have attempted an assault. The terrified girl returned to her home screaming in fright and informed her parents of the circumstances. The sheriff's office was notified and an investigation was begun. The suspect was reported to have telephoned Sheriff Finch Sunday evening, asking if a warrant had been sworn out for his arrest and then making an excuse to leave Amboy for Elgin. Relatives of the victim informed The Telegraph that the suspect likewise contacted the family of the girl and sought to effect a settlement Sunday evening.

Is Married Man

While the search for the 36-year-old automobile mechanic continued through yesterday, Sheriff Finch, after visiting in Amboy, went to Elgin and succeeded in locating the suspect and placing him under arrest. Sheehan, according to reports from the sheriff's office, is married and has a family who have resided in Amboy but a short time.

An appeal was directed to State's Attorney Jones yesterday to take action in securing the closing of the saloons of Sublette on Sundays in an effort to curb varied disturbances in the village. Two weeks ago last Sunday a car loaded with Dixonites was practically demolished on the route 62 highway in Sublette, the occupants miraculously escaping serious injuries and several months ago, a case similar to Sunday afternoon's vicious alleged attack was brought to the attention of the county officials.

Of Interest to Farmers

Weekly Commodity Review

Courtesy of Wayne Hummer & Co. of Chicago

Corn

There has been no relief from the congestion in the cash market, which is reflected in a further narrowing of the May discount under July, following persistent buying of the nearby month which appeared to be for the account of cash and elevator interests. Although professional sentiment was influenced by the weaker tone in wheat, there has been no indication of outside liquidation, but on the contrary, excellent buying power on minor reactions. Country holders remain indifferent sellers, although prices at some Illinois points are now well above the loan level and "to arrive" bookings of 408,000 bushels, were largely from northern Illinois points where cheap water transportation is available. As the advance in livestock prices has been larger proportionately than in corn, there has been some improvement in the feeding ratio, which probably has influenced the farmer's attitude. A statement by the Illinois state chairman of the "AAA," that the most recent complete inspection of corn stored in steel bins showed 99.21 percent to be of No. 3 or better grade, significantly, did not give the date of this inspection, and there have been scattered reports of the corn getting out of condition, apparently confirmed by arrival at terminals of a few cars of heating corn. Following the opening of lake navigation, 1,670,000 bushels moved out of Chicago, of which over 1 million bushels went to Canadian ports. Preparation for new crop planting has been further delayed by wet weather, but was called about up to normal in Iowa, in the government weekly summary. The Buenos Aires market has held firm around the 35 cent level, as exports have increased and pressure of farm marketing received by loan of 15 cents a bushel, covering harvest expenses, and the announcement of loans to hog raisers, without interest, to stimulate breeding and increase the feeding outlet for corn. There is, however, a surplus remaining for export, estimated at 333 million bushels, compared with 131 million bushels at this time last year.

Oats

The cash demand which has been so persistent throughout the winter and early spring flattened out almost completely, and in consequence, cash premiums were sharply reduced. No. 2 Whites being quoted Friday at 1 to 1 1/4 cents over May. This naturally weakened the May position, and there was persistent liquidation and switching of holdings into the later months, the premium over July narrowing by 1/4 cent. Unfavorable crop reports and the lateness of the season inspired some outside commission house

Project Story on Potatoes and Popcorn Wins Second Prize in Oregon Future Farmers' Contest

EDITOR'S NOTE

The project story written by Homer Sell of the Oregon high school agricultural department is the second in a series of articles written for a recent contest under the direction of Instructor Schick. Young Sell's story was awarded second prize.

MY PROJECT STORY (Second Prize) BY HOMER SELL

I selected potatoes and pop corn as my project last year. I rented one-half of an acre from my grandfather. I planted one-fourth of an acre of each. I selected them because I live in town and couldn't have an animal project, and as I spend my summer vacation on my grandfather's farm, I could take care of potatoes and pop corn. I also could learn two different diseases and how to control them. I wanted to earn some money to put in the bank in the form of a savings account.

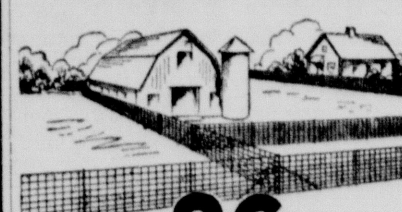
There were some problems which I had during the last year. I treated my seed with formaldehyde to prevent scab. I had to plow and pull weeds out of my potatoes and pop corn. I had some potato bugs start to hatch on my potatoes. Mr. Schick told me to take a can of kerosene and pick the bugs off and put in the kerosene. I went through my potatoes and picked off all the bugs I could find and put them in this can of kerosene. There were some I didn't get and I had to buy arsenate of lead to make a solution to put on my potatoes. This killed the bugs pretty well and I didn't have any more trouble with my potatoes. When the pop corn came up it was too thick and I had to thin it out. Then there was some corn ear worms in my pop corn, but Mr. Schick said nothing could be done about it. One of my problems was to get rid of my pop corn for the price I wanted for it.

buying, largely centered in September contracts. The offerings of May were partially absorbed by cereal and cash interest. The visible supply decreased 367,000 bushels, and now totals only 6 million bushels compared to 10,944,000 bushels a year ago.

Soy Beans

Extreme irregularity has characterized this market, the large open interest in May and small contract stocks, being responsible for erratic fluctuations. This situation was aggravated by rumors of substantial quantities of beans now at Gulf and Atlantic ports being returned to Chicago for delivery on contracts, which however, could not be substantiated, and the net result of the week's trading was a widening of the May premium over July by 1 1/2, and over October 3 cents, indications being, that weakly held May contracts had been well liquidated or switched over. Trade news was generally constructive, the Bureau of the Census figures showing that 70 mills had crushed 500,000 tons of beans during the first quarter, compared with 397,000 tons a year ago, while stocks of oil were only 19

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Rockyford Dairy Tops Lee County Group for 1939

Rockyford Dairy of Amboy, owned by W. A. Green and operated by L. M. Wakley, herdsman, led the Lee County Dairy Herd Improvement association for the year of 1939. Their average was 29.33 cows on test with an average of 399.4 pounds of fat.

Cole & Donnelly stood second with 10.03 cows on test. Their average was 11,249 pounds of milk and 397.0 pounds of fat per cow. F. M. Robbins' herd was third with 6.71 cows on test having 11,267 pounds of milk and 396.0 pounds of fat for an average per cow.

The association average of the 25 members completing the year's work was 485.89 cows on test with 8766 pounds of milk and 327.6 pounds of butterfat. The average income per cow was \$112.58, with an average feed cost of \$51.77, leaving the average net returns above feed cost at \$60.81.

During the year 93 cows were sold to the butcher and 45 cows sold for dairy purposes.

The ten high cows for 1939 were as follows:

Rockyford Dairy, owner, purebred Holstein breed, 348 days in milk, 18,969 pounds milk, 654.9 pounds butterfat, \$143.31 returns above cost of feed.

Prairie Trail Farm, owner, grade Holstein breed, 365 days in milk, 15,172 pounds milk, 558.6 pounds butterfat, \$131.15 returns above cost of feed.

Roi W. Degner, owner, purebred Holstein breed, 330 days in milk, 14,926 pounds milk, 545.0 pounds butterfat, \$132.94 returns above cost of feed.

Cole & Donnelly, owner, purebred Holstein breed, 324 days in milk, 14,711 pounds of milk, 510.2 pounds butterfat, \$119.87 returns above cost of feed.

Roi W. Degner, owner, purebred Holstein breed, 318 days in milk, 13,282 pounds milk, 509.9 pounds butterfat, \$119.88 returns above cost of feed.

Smith & Coe, owners, purebred Holstein breed, 351 days in milk, 14,674 pounds milk, 508.5 pounds butterfat, \$119.09 returns above cost of feed.

Rockyford Dairy, owner, purebred Holstein breed, 333 days in milk, 13,104 pounds milk, 502.1 pounds butterfat, \$106.29 returns above cost of feed.

Cole & Donnelly, owners, purebred Holstein breed, 348 days in milk, 14,158 pounds milk, 494.3 pounds butterfat, \$110.04 returns above cost of feed.

Henry W. Hey, owner, grade Guernsey breed, 365 days in milk, 9,518 pounds milk, 486.8 pounds butterfat, \$93.17 returns above cost of feed.

Rockyford Dairy, owner, purebred Holstein breed, 309 days in milk, 14,713 pounds milk, 483.4 pounds butterfat, \$100.27 returns above cost of feed.

James Colgan, Tester

Lee County Has Over Two Million Bushels of Corn Under Seal

The 1939 corn sealing program was started in Lee county on December 18, 1939 and the last loan was completed March 30, 1940. There were 1,969,281 bushels of 1939 corn placed under seal in Lee county, this together with the 259,577 bushels of 1938 corn sealed makes a total of 2,228,858 bushels of corn under seal in this county.

This corn is still owned by Lee county farmers and they will receive the advance in price should there be any increase. There are 819,324 bushels of 1937 and 1938 corn stored by the Commodity Credit corporation in 203 steel bins and in the various elevators throughout the county. The total of ever normal granary corn in the county would therefore be 3,048,182 bushels so it can be readily seen that there would be no corn shortage even though there were a below normal crop in 1940.

Trains operating on gasoline (charcoal gas) have been installed on Italian state lines. They require 5.3 pounds of charcoal per mile.

FRANK PRIEBE'S WEEKLY LETTER to POULTRY RAISERS

The federal government has been buying eggs and distributing them to people on relief.

Their purpose has been to give good food to those who need it and, at the same time, to keep up the price of eggs for the benefit of everyone in this country who has eggs to sell.

People on relief are pleased because they have been getting some fine eggs. And producers are pleased because it looks as if they are getting a higher price for their eggs as a result of the government's purchases.

I don't doubt the government's good intentions.

But it doesn't make sense to me for the Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation to buy American eggs to support the market, while food manufacturers in this country import eggs from China.

And they are beginning to do it. Last year in February only 7400 pounds of dried egg yolks were imported. This year 174,000 pounds were brought in! That still isn't enough to have much effect on the market, but when you compare it with the amount imported last year, you can see the significance of it.

Now you can just stop being jealous of those jonquils or I'll move you to another room where you can't hear the music!"

People in this country who put up frozen and dried eggs are watching figures closely and if the imports continue to increase, the demand for American eggs will be just that much less.

I understand one food manufacturer, who every year uses the yolks from seven and a half million dozens of eggs, is waiting to see whether he can afford to buy American eggs or will have to use Chinese eggs. He naturally prefers to buy eggs produced in this country and is willing to pay a little more for them, but if the difference in price becomes too great, there is nothing for him to do but buy eggs from China.

Whatever we may think of the government's relief policy, its agricultural policy, or its tariff policy, we at least expect it to be consistent. If it is going to spend money to support the egg market, then certainly there should be restrictions to keep foreign eggs on an equal basis.

I don't understand all the whys and wherefores of the reciprocal trade agreements, but I do think it's time the different branches of the government concerned with this matter got together.

Sincerely yours,

Frank Pribe

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Tree Planting Event is Held in Ogle County

One of the important activities of the Farm Bureau program in Ogle county during the past week was the tree planting demonstration on the Ralph R. Thomas farm operated by the son, Grover Thomas, three miles north of Mt. Morris.

The demonstration was in charge of L. B. Culver, assistant extension forester of the college of agriculture, to show methods that should be used in setting out young trees and to discuss with interested parties the use of trees for land which is difficult to farm or which is subject to erosion.

More than fifteen Ogle county farmers and agricultural students attended to see the work done and to take part in it.

There were planted about 1400 Norway spruce trees which Mr. Thomas expects to grow for the Christmas tree market and about 600 cypress trees planted in low land subject to overflow which will be used for fence post material.

Tree planting is one of the five practices being stressed by the University of Illinois in the conservation program for 1940. Demonstrations will be held at the Thomas farm to show the development of the project from time to time.

FORGOTTEN GREAT MAN

Galveston, Tex.—(AP)—An oil painting of a man of distinguished appearance has hung in the Galveston courthouse for 40 years but nobody seems to know who he was. The portrait now rests in the office of Charles Dibrell, district judge, who has been trying for five years to learn the identity of the man.

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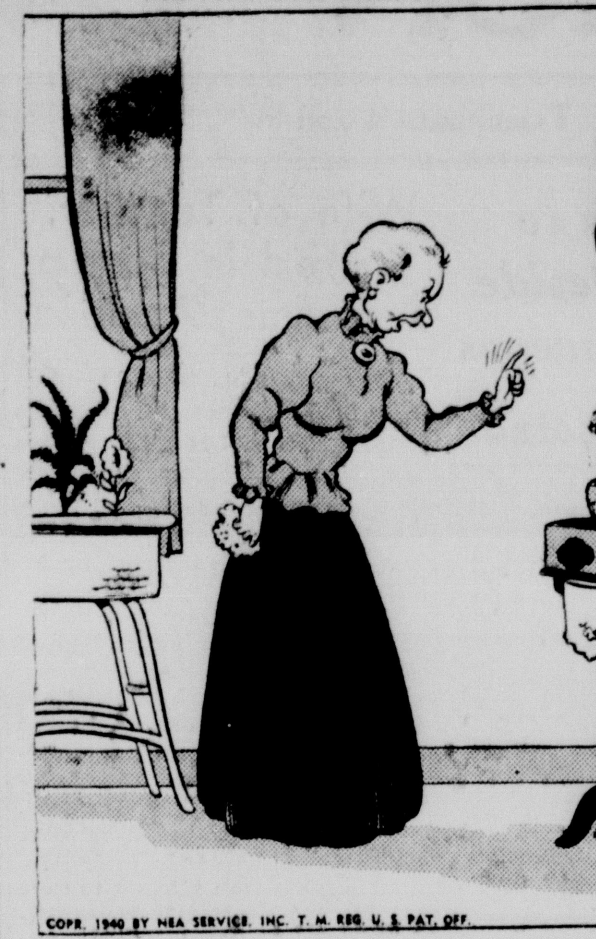
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Farm Briefs

CATTLE SURVEY

The Chicago Producers' Spring Cattle survey, dealing with the outlook of the fat cattle market during the period April 1 to October 1, will be released to cattlemen of Lee county at a meeting to be held at the Farm Bureau office on Friday evening, May 3 at 8 o'clock.

RAT CAMPAIGN

The second rat campaign held on May 3 at which time those sending in cards will be notified that they can obtain the bait at the place designated on the card.

PUT UP WINDBREAKS

The fifth and sixth demonstration windbreaks have been planted in the county in cooperation with the University of Illinois. The windbreak situated on the C. W. Robbins farm in Amboy township is composed of trees from a Pontiac nursery. The trees are Norway spruce and 118 trees were set out. On the Clarence Hart farm 80 trees were planted and these trees were the Douglas firs.

Organize Rural Youth Group For Polo Area

A local Rural Youth group was temporarily organized for the Polo area of Ogle county last Thursday evening when twenty-six young men and women attended a meeting in the Polo Community high school to learn about the activities of rural youth groups from Miss Cleo Fitzsimmons, University of Illinois, assisted by the Ogle county farm and home advisers and Clyde Fry, agriculture teacher.

Temporary officers were elected: Fred Jecklin, president; Marie Ports, vice president; Gavin Cross, secretary-treasurer; and Warren Blum, Hugh Cross, Belva Hammer and Betty Patterson members of a program planning committee.

This unit will be the fourth local rural youth organization in Ogle county carrying on their monthly programs sponsored by the Agricultural Extension Service of the county Farm Bureau.

Probe Into Death of Girl Aboard Vessel Ended by Naval Court

Detroit, April 30—(AP)—The three naval officers who conducted a court of inquiry in the case of Miss Charlotte Cranson, 18-year-old Detroit girl who died March 30 during an unauthorized party aboard the U. S. S. Dubuque, have completed their investigation and are engaged in preparing a formal report to the secretary of navy.

The defendant before the naval court was John W. Klanauskas, 20, a naval reservist who was on active duty as shipkeeper of the Dubuque, a training vessel.

Klanauskas is in the "brig" at the Great Lakes Training Station near Chicago.

The naval authorities have made no disclosures about the case either as to the charge or the conclusions reached. At the time of the girl's sudden death civil authorities said Klanauskas had permitted Miss Cranson, his friend, and two other young couples to come aboard the ship.

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23 Planes Landed at Dixon Airport During Last Week

Dixon's Municipal airport east of the city is taking on spring liveliness and Manager Reinhart Schnell is expecting a very busy season. The popularity of the Dixon airport among pilots is evidenced by the large number of planes whose pilots are taking advantage of the facilities and service which are not surpassed by many of the larger fields of the state.

Last week 23 planes landed at the Dixon field, many of the pilots placing their ships in the hangar and spending the night in Dixon, while others serviced their planes or had minor repairs made and continued their trips. Manager Schnell is a licensed aviation mechanic, a service which is not obtainable at many other ports of much greater size.

Lieut. Parrish, U. S. Army instructor, landed at the Airport Sunday afternoon, flying a B T-9 training ship. Lieut. Parrish is stationed at the Curtiss field in Chicago and during his stay many visitors at the airport viewed the Army ship.

P. H. Guthrie, Jr., of this city flew a new Dart low wing monoplane from the factory at Columbus, Ohio, to the Airport Sunday afternoon, where the plane will be housed. Mr. Guthrie only recently purchased the new plane and flew it from the factory to the local port.

W. Wedding of Princeton, returning home from a business trip to South Dakota, set his plane down at the local port Monday as a safety measure. The high wind made flying treacherous and in preference to a possible accident, he grounded his ship to await better flying weather.

BRUNO LESSING DIES

Tucson, Ariz., April 30—(AP)—Rudolph Block, 70, newspaper columnist known as Bruno Lessing, died Monday after a long illness. With him when he died were his wife, Vera, and a son, Rudolph, Jr. Block had been here several months, and had been forced to give up writing because of his illness.

To save coal, Italian industrialists have authorized a plant to produce methane gas for cooking and heating from sewage and garbage.

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Endowment for U. of Illinois Provided in Wright's Will

Creation of an endowment to promote agricultural education and to found scholarships in the University of Illinois college of agriculture at the discretion of the university board of trustees is provided in the will of Dr. Harry G. Wright, former state senator, which has been filed for probate in DeKalb County court at Sycamore.

The will disposes of an estate valued in a petition filed in court at \$200,000.

After a number of bequests to relatives and friends are paid, the will provides, the remainder of the estate is to be used to create the Harry G. Wright and Harriette A. Wright endowment for the University of Illinois college of agriculture. The endowment is to be used to promote agricultural education and the will suggests that scholarships be founded. Use of the funds is left to the discretion of the university board of trustees, however, Harriette A. Wright is the widow of Dr. Wright.

Owned Eight Farms

Principal assets of the estate are stock in the Northern Illinois Finance company and eight farms in DeKalb county. Personal property is estimated at \$100,000 and real estate is valued at the same amount in a petition filed in court.

Dr. Wright died April 17 in Holland, Pa., while making a tour of eastern packing plants with Swift and company officials.

The will bequeaths all personal property, household effects, and automobiles to the widow. Other bequests, all in shares of common stock in the Northern Illinois Finance company, are as follows:

Harold Bell Wright of Chicago, a brother, 1,000 shares; Mrs. Daisy Brown, Waterloo, Ia., a sister, 250 shares; Edward Hornberger, Chester, Ill., a nephew, 100 shares; Donald Hornberger, Chester, a nephew, 100 shares; Paul T. Wright, Oak Park, a brother, 250 shares; Betty Adele Wright, daughter of Mrs. Rodney Wright of DeKalb, a niece, 250 shares; Hazel B. Lutz, Peoria, a niece, 250 shares; Myrtle Wright, Chicago, a niece, 100 shares; Robert Wright, Chicago, a nephew, 100 shares; Harley Self, manager of the Wright farms, a nephew, 1,000 shares; and William Halverson, a close friend, 100 shares.

The widow, R. F. McCormick, president of the DeKalb Trust and Savings bank, and Attorney Harris D. Fisk of DeKalb were designated as executors in the will which was dated Feb. 1, 1939.

ELASTIC FISH

Norman, Okla.—(AP)—Rubber veins hold the sharks together at Oklahoma university. A rubber substance is injected into the veins of sharks used in the dissecting classes. Arteries are filled with red rubber and veins with dark blue. The rubber makes the sharks "stretchy."

Exports from Ceylon to the United States increased 80 per cent in 1939 over the preceding year. Rubber and tea accounted for 95 per cent of the total.

THE SAMARITAN'S PART

But he, willing to justify himself, said unto Jesus, And who is my neighbour? And Jesus answering said, A certain man went down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell among thieves, which stripped him of his raiment, and wounded him, and departed, leaving him half dead. And by chance there came down a certain priest that way: and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. And likewise a Levite, when he was at the place, came and looked on him, and passed by on the other side. But a certain Samaritan, as he journeyed, came where he was: and when he saw him, he had compassion on him. And went to him, and bound up his wounds, pouring in oil and wine, and set him on his beast, and brought him to an inn, and took care of him. And on the morrow when he departed, he took out two pence, and gave them to the host, and said unto him, Take care of him; and whatsoever thou spendest more, when I come again, I will repay thee. Which now of these three, thinkest thou, was neighbour unto him that fell among the thieves? And he said, He that shewed mercy on him. Then said Jesus unto him, Go and do thou likewise. (Luke 10: 29-37.)

Might not that section of Christian opinion in all countries, whether belligerent, non-belligerent or neutral—calling itself isolationist, non-interventionist, or what-not—ponder on this parable of the good Samaritan, apply it to the present setting of Nazi Germany's treatment of Austria, Czechoslovakia, Poland, Denmark and Norway today (with possibly Sweden, Holland, Belgium and the Balkans tomorrow) and ask itself whether it is satisfied to act the part of the priest and of the Levite in its attitude towards the world catastrophe taking place in Europe or whether the time has not arrived to reinforce and strengthen that section of public opinion in all countries which believes in breaking the power of the aggressor now before other small nations are beaten up and enslaved? That is the question, it would seem, that each individual adult—man or woman—should settle with his (or her) conscience today. If settled on the basis of a "good neighbor" policy, this devastating war might be finished in a year and a just peace achieved.—The Citizen, Ottawa, Can.

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The Poles Pay Pilsudski's Debt

Something unpleasant, probably, is happening to the Polish common people in what once was the independent state of Poland. The Catholic church has received reports highly disquieting. Russian and German authorities, it is charged, refuse entry to newspaper men who might check the situation. Unquestionably hunger, disease and exposure are taking their toll in Poland.

If we look at it one way, the common people of Poland are paying a debt incurred by Marshal Pilsudski, first European general to defy the "new world order" which had been established in Europe following the World War. Pilsudski was a man of boundless ambition. He marched here and there, seized territories, intimidated the league of nations, became dictator of Poland and gained world renown.

And now, having strutted and roared, having rattled his saber, he is dead. He died with his boots off, but the common people of Poland have died with their boots on. The evil that men do lives after them. Poland, first country to defy the league of nations, is now a shambles.

The city of Vilna had been awarded to Lithuania following the World War. The Lithians made it their capital, but Poland's generals were ambitious and they seized Vilna and 10,000 square miles of Lith territory. The league decided such a seizure didn't amount to much, and beyond making a mild protest, took no action. That was in 1920.

In 1923 the Lithuanians marched into Memel, using the same tactics the Poles had used, and again nothing effective was done. Noting that even small powers could get away with grand larceny, larger powers began grabbing. Italy bombed Corfu. Japan grabbed Manchuria and provinces in China proper. Italy took Ethiopia. Germany took this and that and tore up treaties.

Today Lithuania is under domination of the Russian aggressor. Norway and Denmark are under the well-known iron heel. Britain and France

are spending billions to crush an aggressive tendency that could have been stopped by a snap of the finger back in 1920. Pampered Pilsudski is dead, but the common peoples of many lands are paying for his ambition.

Shall Courage Be Wasted?

It is a shameful thing to have to report that some people snickered a little when Paul Satko's "ark" was halted by Seattle authorities as he was about to sail for Alaska.

Courage and determination and the unshatterable dream of a better future in a new land are never things to laugh at.

Satko's story is an epic of courage that should make the snickerers feel humble and ashamed. It is a fountain of inspiration and hope to see such determined bravery in our time.

Satko was unemployed in Richmond, Va. Using odds and ends as material, he built a strange-looking "ark," an amateurish and flimsy 40-foot boat. He loaded it on a trailer and hauled it all the way across the country to Tacoma, Wash. He supported himself and his brood of children by doing odd jobs. For six months at Tacoma he prepared for the journey to Alaska. He worked at what he could get. He worked at his boat.

Gradually he equipped it in makeshift fashion for a 1500-mile voyage—a voyage by a landsman in a home-made boat through unknown waters, with no guide but a vision of a new land where he might have out a future for himself and seven children. Authorities stopped him at Seattle. The boat wasn't strong enough, hadn't enough power. The children wouldn't be safe.

No doubt they are right. But can the United States afford to see Paul Satko thwarted? Is this kind of courage so common that it can be cast aside?

How safe were the western pioneers when they pushed off for the west in clumsy wagons, facing hostile Indians, and brutal blizzards, and starvation? "Pike's Peak or Bust!" read the scrawled slogans on the Conestoga wagons, and whitening bones along the trails testified that many fell short. Yet the west was won.

Without attempting to judge between Satko and those who are holding him up at the moment, there is something there on the Seattle docks that must not be wasted. It is courage and determination and initiative, and it must not be frustrated.

Alaska needs men like Paul Satko, and the United States needs them, and the world!

They Don't Understand

Japanese astonishment at the United States refusal to interfere with new Philippine immigration laws is probably quite sincere.

That a great country which has had possession of a smaller one should actually relax its grip and grant greater rather than less freedom is of course strangely out of key with the way things are going today.

Similar is the equally genuine astonishment in Germany and Italy when an American newspaper has printed something they do not like. They protest to the State Department, and do not quite understand that the State Department or the government in general has nothing to say about it, can do nothing. So far apart have drifted the two ways of looking at the relationship between people and their government, between great peoples and small!

Funerals

Suburban—

MARY MARGARET AUCHSTETTER

(Contributed)

Sublette—Mary Margaret Auchstetter, daughter of Fred and Leona Theiss Auchstetter passed away Sunday morning at the Anger hospital following an operation for appendicitis. Complications following the operation caused her death. Had she lived until May 17, she would have reached the age of nine years.

Mary Margaret was a beautiful child who had endeared herself to the entire community with her happy smile and sunny disposition. She was a favorite not only with her elders about town but also with her schoolmates who will miss her greatly.

Mary Margaret leaves to mourn her passing her father and mother, a brother, Robert; a sister, Eileen; her grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Theiss; her great grandmother, Mrs. Christine Dinges; and a host of friends and relatives who will miss her deeply. She was preceded in death by a sister who died in infancy, her paternal grandparents and her maternal grandfather.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock from Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic church in Sublette. The Rev. Joseph J. Subletkamp will officiate and burial will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

MRS. WM. RICHARDSON

(Telegraph Special Service)

Polo, April 30—The funeral of Mrs. William Richardson of Polo, who passed away at the Katherine Shaw Betha hospital in Dixon at 1 o'clock Monday afternoon, will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hurdle, and at 2:30 o'clock at the Methodist church, of which she was a member. The pastor, the Rev. T. A. Loeppert, will officiate, and burial will be in the Buffalo Grove cemetery.

Gertrude McClure was born in Polo Dec. 12, 1861, the daughter of Thomas and Minerva McClure and was married April 17, 1879, to William Richardson, who survives, together with her daughter, Mrs. Mabel Hurdle, and two grandsons, Melvin and Donald Hurdle.

Lodge News

Townsend Club No. 1 will meet at 8 p. m. Wednesday in the Woodmen hall. Ernie's Jolly Four will play for dancing.

SUBMARINE IN 1620

The submarine is regarded as a modern invention, but the first one was built in England in 1620. It was a wooden shell, covered with leather and navigated by 12 rowers.

In grading eggs, the size of the air cell and the position of the yolk are two important points.

Deaths

Local—

MRS. MORRIS SANFORD

Mrs. Morris Sanford passed away at 4:30 this morning after five weeks illness which followed the birth of her baby son, Theodore Morris, who survives her, together with her husband, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Walker of Dixon; and two brothers, Theodore and James Walker of Dixon; and a sister, Mrs. Myrtle Worsley of Mendota.

Helen Louise Walker was born in Sterling Dec. 18, 1910 and was married to Morris Sanford June 24, 1927. Funeral services will be held at the home at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon and at the Kingdom church at 2:30, the Rev. Theo. Moritz officiating. Interment will be at Chapel Hill Memorial park.

Suburban—

MAURICE MOWRER

(Telegraph Special Service)

Sterling, April 30—Maurice Mowrer, 42, died very suddenly at his home in Rock Falls this morning, following a heart attack which he suffered about 5:30. "Butch" as he was familiarly known throughout this section of the state, was an outstanding athlete during his high school days and young manhood. He had maintained a wide interest in athletic circles for many years and was a prominent figure in amateur boxing circles in this section. He served in the navy during the World War and for several years had been associated with his brother, Newton Mowrer in conducting a grocery and market in Rock Falls. Funeral services will be held at the Wheelock funeral home in Rock Falls Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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News in Brief

Mrs. Ida Hoyt of Rockford is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Z. W. Moss at "Whitthorne."

Mrs. Harry Roe of Chicago is visiting at the Franklin Roe home. Mr. and Mrs. John Davies and Dr. and Mrs. Warren G. Murray expect to go to Chicago, Wednesday.

—3-Act Play TONIGHT: Mrs. Shawger's Sunday School Class, Methodist Church, 7:45 P. M. 10c and 25c.

Adv. 10411

Mrs. Ed Rhodes spent Friday and Saturday in Rockford as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Millhouse. On Sunday, Ed Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rhodes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rhodes and family joined the group to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Dorothy Mae Millhouse.

Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Wilson and son Loren, and Mrs. Minnie Nelson and Robert Fallstrom were Sunday guests at the Herman Nelson home in Rock Island.

Mrs. Fred Dimick has returned from California, and is with her daughter, Mrs. Alfred Jenks, in Flossmore, Ill.

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Obituaries

MISS ALICE HUTCHINSON
The following from an Owego, N. Y. paper tells of the death of Miss Alice Hutchinson, sister of the late Mrs. Lillian Lee of Dixon and aunt of the late Miss Harriet Edwards, also of this city. Miss Hutchinson had visited Dixon on a number of times and made friends here:

Miss Alice M. Hutchinson, Owego's oldest retired school teacher and a lifelong resident of this village, died on Friday afternoon, April 12, 1940, at the Owego Home for Aged Women where she had resided for the past eight years. She was 91 years old.

Miss Hutchinson, who was the daughter of James and Minerva (Wilson) Hutchinson, was born in Owego on Aug. 30, 1848 and until February 1932 she resided in the Hutchinson homestead at 232 East Temple street. Following graduation from the old Owego Academy she entered upon her career as a teacher in the old "Upper White" school on Main street, just east of Ross street. Here she taught in first, second and third grades until 1890 when a music department was established in the local school system and she was appointed to teach music.

Not satisfied with her knowledge of music at that time she took a special course in a music school at Boston, receiving her certificate in 1892. Thereafter she served as instructor in music and drawing in the local schools until 1903, when Philip Paul Bliss, since deceased, was appointed music instructor and Miss Hutchinson was continued as teacher of drawing until 1904 when she retired. She had resided at the Owego Home for Aged Women since February, 1932.

Miss Hutchinson was a member of the First Presbyterian Union Church where she was a loyal and active worker and taught a class in the Sunday school for a number of years.

She is survived by three sisters-in-law—Mrs. Mary Hutchinson of Newark Valley; Mrs. Lena Hutchinson of Brooklyn, N. Y.; and Mrs. Ida Hutchinson, of Tacoma, Wash. two nieces—Mrs. William Willis, of San Francisco, Calif. and Mrs. Charles Lightfoot, of Beverly Hills, Calif. and by two nephews—Bernard Hutchinson of Newark, Valley, and Harry Hutchinson, of Tacoma.

AND SO I LOVE—
By Martha Snell Nicholson

When I was just a little child
I loved my mother so,
I liked to touch what she had touched,
And always tried to know

The things she loved the best of all
So I could love them, too.
I made a secret list of them
Although she never knew.

And now that I am grown I love
My Heavenly Father so,
And like a little child again
I humbly seek to know

The things which are most dear to Him
So I may love them, too,
And thus draw closer to His heart
And so I love—the Jew!

ASIA'S HIGH AND LOW
In Asia, the earth's surface reaches its highest and lowest points: Mount Everest's snowy summit rises more than 29,000 feet above sea level, while the salty surface waters of the Dead Sea are 1290 feet below.

Years Ago

(From Dixon Telegraph)

38 YEARS AGO

A farewell stag banquet of the Bechlers Club will be given at the Nachusa House for Charles Leake and Will S. Block who are forsaking the club.
An unusually large baby weighing 15½ pounds arrived last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Cramer on Sixth street. Ernest Freeman who plans to go to Wyoming in a few weeks, has sold his trotting horse to Nick Plein.

25 YEARS AGO

George W. Conn of Woodstock will tomorrow assume the management of the E. J. Countryman Co. general store.

The North Dixon, Amboy, Compton and Paw high school track meet was being held this afternoon at Amboy.
Vaile & Duis, proprietors of the Brunswick bowling alleys have installed an electric corn popper and peanut roaster.

10 YEARS AGO

Total damage to Dixon property by fire for the past fiscal year amounted to less than \$5,000, according to annual report of Fire Chief Theo. Coffey.
Russell Horn, 17, of near Wapella, Iowa, fell exhausted on the Lincoln Highway last night where city and county officials rescued him about 9:30.

Courthouse

PROPERTY TRANSFERS

Chas. A. Powell et ux WD to Clara and Henrietta Buchman \$100 s 50 ft e 90 ft Lt 1 B 78 Dixon.

Wm. Schuler QCD to Robt. L. Bracken \$100 pt L 4 B 21 Dixon.
Mary E. Charters QCD to Fred Melhausen et ux \$100 w/s, s e ¼, s w ¼, Sec 3 Reynolds Twp.

Fred Melhausen et ux WD to Mary Charters \$100 same as above.

Arthur J. Leffelman, et ux QCD to Eleanor M. Liston \$100 w/s, s e ¼, Sec 14; pt e ½ ne ¼, Sec 22 May Twp.

Eleanor M. Liston QCD to Arthur J. Leffelman et ux \$100, same.

Herman Bettin, et al WD to Albert Bettin \$100 pt L 5, 6, 7 Tolman Add. Fr. Grove.

Etta L. Ulrich WD to Wm. T. Herzog \$10, L 2 in Sub of s e ¼, ne ¼, Sec 15 Amboy.

Wm. Struckman et ux WD to Henry D. Bills, et ux \$100 Pt Tract 23 and all Tract 24 Loveland Pt. Tr.

Clyde H. Emmert, et ux WD to Timothy Sullivan, et ux \$100 pt L 1 B 26 N. Dixon.

Timothy Sullivan et ux WD to Clyde H. Emmert et ux \$100 L 9 Sullivan's Sub to Dixon.

Chris J. Johnson, et ux WD to Chas. A. Powell, et ux \$100 Pt L Frank W. Fisher QCD to Walter L. Preston \$100, L 64 Fargo Add. Dixon.

Happy Birthday

APRIL 30

Richard Minnier, Polo; Eddie Olson, Polo.

MAY 1

Robert Thrasher, Jr., Harmon; William Maxey, Polo.

April 27 Robert Elwin Wernick.

The Peruvian government has opened a textile school to teach folk handicrafts.

SERIAL STORY

BET ON LOVE

BY CHARLES B. PARMER

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YESTERDAY: Pepper Boy is left at the post in his first race, but Madden rides him hard to bring him through the field. Then in a breath-taking drive, Pepper Boy passes the leaders, battles Gray Star to the finish, nose and nose, Gray Star wins!

CHAPTER V

OLD Sam shook his graying head, moaned, "Land's sakes alive!" Jockey Madden took one look at the numbers, slid to the ground as Sam went to the mount's head. Tugging at the saddle, the jockey called over his shoulder to Sherry Bond, "You can't say I didn't give you horse a ride." He jerked off the saddle—ran into the enclosure and weighed, threw his tack to his fat valet, and stalked off to the jockey room.

Gray Star the winner, by half a nose; Pepper Boy a bang-up second—but a nose ahead was as good as a mile ahead. Sherry recalled, and the world paid off only on winners.

"Miss Bond?" A messenger was standing in front of her.

"Yes?"

"Secretary's compliments, Miss Bond, and he says will you please have Pepper Boy taken into the paddock?" He spoke the words as an order, not a request.

"Taken into the paddock? For what?"

"Secretary's compliments—for delivery to his new owner. He's been claimed."

She had lost the race—now she was losing her horse; a colt that had shown superb class—that was worth three or four times the claiming price: \$2500. What a fool she had been to start him out of his class—to run him with a group of cheap horses. She might have known some wily trainer would claim him—why, he was a stand-out—in that great drive down the stretch—his first race at that!

Yes, she was a fool! Paul Wharton had warned her—no! not once, but twice, not to run him in a claimer. Good old Paul! If—well, if he weren't always begging her to marry him—weren't getting so bossy, she might have listened. Paul was right.

He was right about her marrying him, too. Deep in her heart, Sherry realized that she was in love with Paul, had always been in love with him. But he had been so determined to keep her out of racing.

SHE turned, went into the paddock. Sam was being directed in, with the blanketed colt at the end of a halter-rein—a very agitated Sam. Catching sight of the girl owner, he broke into complaints:

"I done told you so, Miss Sherry—'We done lost our baby colt—his ain't fair!"

Sherry shrugged her shoulders, stood by, helplessly. Then two men came from nowhere—walked to the colt's head. Each put out a hand toward the halter.

"I claimed him," said the first man, a hard, pimply-faced and stubby fellow of middling years in a dusty brown suit and brown derby.

A tall husky in a wide-brimmed Stetson drawled: "Not so fast, stranger—we got a claim in, too."

"Wait a minute, white folks," Sam protested, "you can't get this here horse till you give me an order from the secretary. Anyway, which one of you white gentlemen done claim de colt?"

The man in the derby glared up at the trainer in the broad-brimmed hat. "A boy's bringing me the order—be here in a minute."

"We'll see," the tall one said, and turned aside.

"I'm gonna start coolin' this here horse right now," Sam grumbled belligerently, and began walking Pepper Boy in a long circle.

"Which one of you gets my horse?" Sherry wanted to know.

The man in the Stetson spoke, as if he hated to say anything: "Whichever one wins the roll, Miss Bond. Our owners are in there," he nodded toward the secretary's office, then explained, as if realizing that she was new to racing:

"When two or more claim a nag, then the claimers roll for the horse. High man with the dice wins."

"Oh, I see. Just—which stables—do you—two—represent?"

The man in the derby answered first: "I'm foreman for the Bonnie Lad stable; our trainer—he's in there rollin' now—generally he wins, he's lucky—this is his winnin' day."

Sherry instinctively turned from him. The man in the Stetson faced her, then looked away: "I'm a trainer, but my—my owner—he decided to handle this himself."

"Who is your owner?"

The man wiped his lips with a handkerchief, looked straight at her before he answered: "Mr. Paul Wharton, ma'am."

"But—but—he's my—my—my—she caught herself in time. She was about to blurt out, "Paul Wharton's my friend—a man who wants to marry me!" For an instant she was silent. She could not believe what she had heard, and she did not want to. "Where's Mr. Wharton now?" she managed to ask.

"In the secretary's office, ma'am. For some reason," the trainer repeated, "Mr. Wharton decided to handle this himself."

"I see. Thank you. I'll go there."

"Yes, ma'am," was all he said, as she walked off.

AS Sherry approached the doorway to the secretary's office she heard a familiar voice ringing out—loud and clear; the voice of Uncle Willie Bond. She had forgotten all about him. She crossed the threshold.

Running along the end of the little room was a counter, and behind the counter stood a tall and totally bald man with large, black-rimmed glasses perched on the end of a long nose. He was peering over the glasses at three men who expostulated in front of him.

A gangling, unshaven man in unpressed clothes—to the right of Sherry; the suave and immaculate Paul Wharton at the left; and between them the massive figure of Willie Bond. All three had their backs to her. Uncle Willie was pounding on the counter with a ham-like fist:

"I tell you I've a right to speak—I'm William Bond—business agent for the Lone Tree stable—just back from Europe."

"But we don't know you," the hawklike secretary was objecting.

"Your clerk talked with me this morning—when I scratched Pepper Boy out of the handicap. And my credentials were mailed to the Jockey Club last night."

"And Mr. Bond is what he says he is, too."

The secretary glanced up, the three men turned around—to face Sherry Bond.

Her blue eyes blazing, Sherry ignored Wh

Society News

Senior Class of Steward to Give Three-Act Comedy

The senior class of Steward high school will present the play, "Three Days of Grace," Thursday evening. The three-act comedy was written by Felicia Metcalfe. Composing the cast of characters are: Grace Warner, Marcella Detig; Philippa Waring, Rogene Stein; Kate Waring, Charlotte Brett; Janet Waring, Jeanne Beitel; Effie, Lucile Shaw; Dr. John Cashion, Martin Ravnaas; Billy Jackson, Richard Phipps; Tommy Burns, Bill Espe; Bebe, Alice Thompson.

Sally, Signa Larsen; Charlotte, Lucile Stevens; Larry, Theodore Van Reenen; Dick, Poyer Chapman; Jim, Howard Gunderson; Mr. Smith, Bob Wrigley; telephone messenger, Dale Maxey; Gentry, taxi driver, John Forster; Bijou, the dog.

STEWARDS SCHOOLS PLAN OPEN HOUSE

Students of the Steward grade and high schools will exhibit some of their class room accomplishments at an "open house" being arranged for Wednesday evening, May 8, in the school gymnasium. Musical organizations of the school will present a short program, and the high school biology group will contribute a special number.

Parents of the students and all patrons of the school district are invited to attend.

IN CHICAGO

Miss Esther Barton, eighth grade teacher at the Lincoln school, accompanied seven of her students to Chicago on Saturday. The Museum of Science and Industry, Field's Museum, Shedd Aquarium, the Art Institute, and a tour of several large department stores occupied the group during the morning.

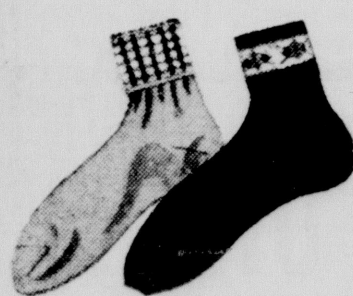
Following luncheon at an Oriental restaurant, the group attended a circus performance of the Greater Olympic Shows.

POSTPONE MEETING
Members of the South Central Parent-Teacher association have postponed until 3:15 p. m. May 7, the meeting they were to have held tomorrow.

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WOMAN'S CLUB OFFICERS ARE DINNER GUESTS

Events of the past year were reviewed, and plans for the 1940-'41 club season were discussed at a dinner meeting planned last evening by Mrs. Earl Auman, president of the Dixon Woman's club, for her co-officers of next year. Dinner at a Grand Detour tea room was followed by a business meeting at Mrs. Auman's home on Second street.

Mrs. Auman's guests included Mrs. J. R. McDaniel, first vice president; Mrs. H. M. Edwards, second vice president; Miss Esther Barton, recording secretary; Mrs. E. V. Mellott, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Mary R. Riordan, treasurer; Mrs. A. E. Sheridan, financial secretary; Mrs. L. N. Deutsch, parliamentarian; and Mrs. Adolph Eichler, historian.

TO NEW YORK CITY

Mrs. Alice Beede left yesterday for New York City to visit her daughters, Mrs. Walter Saunders and Mrs. James Hobbins. Mrs. Irene Fenton accompanied Mrs. Beede east.

This evening, Mr. and Mrs. Hobbins are entertaining 60 guests at dinner at Hampshire House, honoring Mrs. Beede and Mrs. Saunders. Mrs. Saunders sails May 4 on the Santa Lucia for Barquito, Chile.

FROM MICHIGAN

Mrs. Lyle Prescott and little daughter Sally, returned Sunday from a week's visit at the home of Mrs. Prescott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Schrader, in Plymouth, Mich. Mr. Prescott joined them in Plymouth on Sunday and accompanied them home.

The Schraders and their daughter, Miss Evelyn, have returned from a winter vacation in Lakeland, Fla.

The Atlantic and Pacific oceans are spanned by nearly 15,000 miles of submarine cables.

Calendar

Tonight
Mrs. Clara Shawger's class—Will present play, "Remember You're a Lady," at Methodist church.
Franklin Grove Mother-Daughter banquet—At Kersten gymnasium.
St. Patrick Catholic Women's club—Business meeting, 7:30 p. m.; refreshments and cards.

Wednesday
Wawokye Club—Mrs. Arthur Hoban, hostess.
May Day Fete—At Merchant school for schools affiliated with Harmon Rural Reading circle.
Elks Ladies Auxiliary—Benefit card party at Elks club, 8 p. m.

Thursday
Sugar Grove P-T. A.—Will hold postponed meeting.
Foreign Travel club—Will be guests of Dr. and Mrs. Z. W. Moss; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schade of Ashton, speakers.
Prairieville P-T. A.—Monthly meeting, 8 p. m.
Dixon chapter, Wa-Tan-Ye—Business meeting, 7:30 p. m. at the home of Misses Martha Meppin.
Unity Guild—All-day meeting; Mrs. Justin Darrah, hostess.
Sunshine class, Eldena Evangelical church—Miss Kathryn Fuestman, hostess.
W. F. M. S., Methodist church—Mrs. Orval Gearhart, hostess, 2:30 p. m.

Dorothy Chapter Observes First Lecturers' Night

Mrs. Florence Hennick of Aurora was guest of honor, and Mrs. Beulah Tennant of Dixon was guest worthy matron, when members of Dorothy chapter, Order of Eastern Star, entertained Friday evening at the first Grand Lecturers' Night in its history. Mrs. Tennant is a district deputy of the grand chapter and also a grand lecturer.

Approximately 250 members and guests attended the event, which took place in Brinton Memorial Masonic temple. Arthur L. Johnson of Forest City chapter, a member of the information committee of the grand chapter, served as worthy patron. Other officers included:

Associate matron, Mrs. Ruth Beardsley, Sheridan chapter; associate patron, Lee Read, Dorothy chapter; secretary, Mrs. Helen Woodward, Freeport chapter; treasurer, Mrs. Berdena Boeke, Freeport; conductress, Mrs. Jane Spafford, Rockford chapter; associate conductress, Mrs. Maree Hall, Salome chapter; chaplain, Miss Helen Scharschug, Rising Sun chapter; marshal, Mrs. Lillian Johnson, Forest City chapter; organist, Mrs. Ellen Roberts, Starlight chapter; Adah, Mrs. Deborah Hall, Yorkville chapter; Ruth, Mrs. Arminnie Boston, Mt. Morris chapter; Ether, Miss Pearl Heitz, Freeport; Martha, Mrs. Louise Ogren, Hinsdale chapter; Electa, Mrs. Jennie Klime, Beltiste chapter; warder, Mrs. Kathryn Whitehead, Forest City chapter; sentinel, Grover Hoberg, Dixon; color bearer, Gavin Dick; soloist, Mrs. Helen Harridge, Dixon; accompanist, Miss Lola Quick, Dixon.

Thirty members of the Bertha M. Eagle club of the Rock River Valley association formed the escort for Mrs. Tennant and presented her with a bouquet of red roses, the club flower. Mrs. Jane Spafford of Rockford chapter and Mrs. Maree Hall of Salome chapter were introduced as newly-appointed grand lecturers.

Mrs. Ruth Emmert, worthy matron of Dorothy chapter, welcomed the visitors, and asked for short talks by the guests in the east. The following program was presented at the close of the meeting: Piano solos, Harriett, Fulfs; readings, Mrs. Emma Eichler; vocal solo, Lee Bastian; guitar solo, Betty Rose Martin.

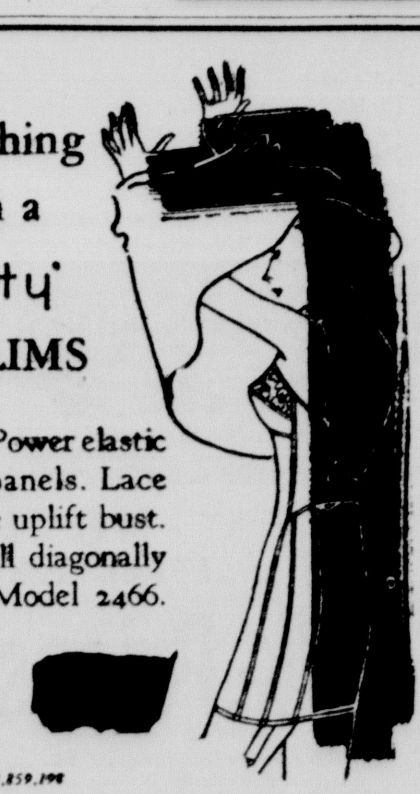
Miniature top hats in pastel colors, filled with ageratum, were favors at the dinner, which preceded the chapter session. Spring flowers in pottery baskets also gave a spring-like touch to the decorative motif.

Mrs. Myrtle Rice Bishop entertained with piano music during the dinner hour. Mrs. Lola Mattson of Aurora sang several solos.

BYRON TEACHER TAKES NEW POST

L. D. Pfoff, music director in the Byron schools for the past five years, has accepted a similar position in the Rochelle schools for next year.

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SPECIAL MUSIC WILL ENTERTAIN AT PARISH PLAY

Vocal selections by the Lincoln School Teacher's quartet and accordion solos by Joseph Venier will entertain between acts of the play, "Lookin' Lovely," to be presented at 8 o'clock Thursday evening in St. Anne's hall. The Misses Alice Crandall, Mercedes Moore, Savilla Palmer, and Lucille Johnson compose the quartet, and Mrs. Margaret Richards is their accompanist.

Twelve members of St. Anne's parish will appear in the three-act comedy, which is being staged under the direction of Miss Gertrude Jackman.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Mark Ziegler of 214 Chamberlain street was guest of honor at a 1 o'clock birthday dinner on Sunday. Her guests included Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald, Bob Hamilton, Mrs. Crabtree and Mr. and Mrs. Joel Shomaker of Rockford, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Shomaker, Betty and Gertie Shomaker, James Burke and Roy Ferris of Milledgeville.

WA-TAN-YANS

Dixon Wa-Tan-Yans are planning a business meeting for 7:30 o'clock Thursday evening. Miss Martha Meppin, Miss Ethel Crawford, and Mrs. Elizabeth Maxwell will entertain at the former's home.

IN CALIFORNIA

Dr. and Mrs. David Murphy and their little sons, David, Jr., and Tommy, are enjoying a two weeks' vacation in California. They are stopping at Mrs. John Gould Ralston's new home in Palm Springs.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

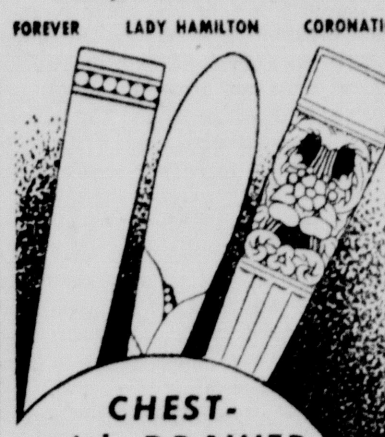
Mrs. Irene Fenton entertained with a birthday dinner on Sunday, honoring her son, Earl Fenton, of Newcastle, Ky. Paul Fenton of Peoria was also a guest.

The visitors left yesterday for their homes.

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Harmon Couple Weds on Sunday

Miss Marie Margaret Von Holten daughter of the Otto Von Holten of near Harmon, and Albert John Schulte, son of Mr. and Mrs. August Schulte of Harmon, exchanged nuptial vows Sunday afternoon at the Rock Falls Lutheran church. The Rev. William Streng read the ceremony at 2:30 o'clock. The couple's attendants were the bridegroom's sister, Bernice Schulte, and John Von Holten, brother of the bride. Relatives were present from Dixon, Harmon, Sterling, Tampico, Polo, and Chicago.

The bride chose white accessories for her tailored frock of blue crepe, and her flowers were white sweetpeas. She was given in marriage by her father, Miss Schulte was wearing dusty rose crepe with white accessories, and a corsage of white sweetpeas.

Ray Von Holten and Waldo Martenson served as ushers. Herman Oltman sang two hymns, "O Promise Us" and "Crown with Thy Benediction," accompanied by Mrs. Oltman at the organ.

A two-course dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents. The couple will reside on a farm north of Walnut.

LURLINE CLUB

The Lurline club met last week with Mrs. Z. W. Moss at "Whit-thorne." Mrs. H. U. Bardwell is to entertain next.

PRAIRIEVILLE CIRCLE

Members of Prairieville Social circle are planning an afternoon meeting for Wednesday, May 8.

DINNER GUESTS

Mrs. Zoe Osborn Latham entertained a few friends at dinner Monday at the Lurline apartment. On Sunday evening, she was hosting at tea.

MRS. MARIA KLOCK OF POLO WILL BE 89 ON WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Maria Klock will celebrate her eighty-ninth birthday anniversary tomorrow at her home in Polo.

Mrs. Klock was born May 1, 1851, in Oswego, N. Y., a daughter of Peter and Katherine Kenyon. When she was four years old, her family moved to La Salle, and the following year, they came to Polo.

Her father, who was a stone mason, helped build the Polo Presbyterian church, and she has memories of attending school in the basement of the church. On Sept. 15, 1870, she became the bride of Martin Klock, whose death occurred in 1909.

The couple had four children. Mrs. Katherine Metzler and Noma Klock, who are deceased; Mrs. J. E. R. Neek of Lewiston, Minn., and Charles, who resides with his mother.

Mrs. Klock is a charter member of the Polo Woman's Relief corps, and is an active worker in St. Mary's Catholic church. Housework, reading, and constant study of current affairs are her favorite hobbies.

She is anticipating a visit of four or five weeks in La Crosse, Wis., and with her daughter in Lewiston, Minn.

ST. PATRICK'S CLUB

Members of St. Patrick Catholic Women's club will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening. The business session will be followed by refreshments and card games.

In a small room where large volumes of sound are not desired, placing a carpet under the piano will soften its tone.

Announce Picnic at Wildcat School

The parent organization of the Wildcat school, district No. 3, is announcing its final meeting of the year on the closing day of the term, Tuesday, May 28. A picnic dinner will be served at noon for everyone in the community.

A play, "Waiting for the Train," was a highlight of the program presented at Friday evening's meeting of the group. Included in the cast of characters were:

Farmer Sims and his wife, Henry Lowry and Mrs. S. DeForest Lowry; Ole Olson, John Waldschlager, Sr.; ticket agent, Tommy Patterson; Miss Young, Phyllis Carson; Mrs. West and little daughter, Nettie, Mrs. Ray Carson and Marian Lowry; Professor Ellington, Leland Mansfield; Jake, Kenneth Tucker; Miss Walker and her naughty nephew, Alice Grace Lowry and Billy Waldschlager; Hoogan, John Willard.

Following their performance, the cast of characters sang two choruses, "Oh, Susanna," and "Goodnight, People." Dorothy and Charles Engle entertained with vocal, guitar, and accordion selections, and the community song, "The More We Get Together," was sung by everyone.

Mrs. Vivian G. Conley is the teacher.

To avoid dangerous bathtub falls are new rubber hand and foot grips that fasten securely to the bottom and sides of the tub with suction cups. The designs are conservative, neat, and there is a choice of colors.

A quiet new and distinctly effective window treatment is the use of twin sets of lace net curtains. A simple open mesh is used for the under curtains, which cover the entire window and are just sill length. Mesh of the same shade with a bold all-over design is hung in deep folds at each side of the window and hangs full to the floor. Using net for drapes and curtains is particularly suitable for summer, since the open meshes do not obstruct free passage of air.

Baby elephants often remain with the mother for as long as 10 years.

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Camisole type, fancy lace trim top and bottom.

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55c
Tearose White
Ruffled and lace trimmed. A regular 79c value.

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Launders like a hanky. Crown tested rayon krepetone—guaranteed for fabric, fit and wear.
Four-gore tailored or cami-top style. Smoother in fit because the front panel is interwoven. Tearose and white.

FANFARE



By DON DANIELSON.

NOW THEN

Following the action of the board of education last night to erect a lighted athletic field in Dixon, the citizens who signed the petitions to have the project may be expected to purchase season tickets which will be put on sale soon. The board, in clearing the way for the project, has been pledged the co-operation of the citizens in making the financial burden as light as possible. It becomes our part to subscribe to the purpose of athletics and their advancement in Dixon by purchasing a season ticket for \$1.50 which entitles the bearer to four games during the season.

ON TOMORROW'S DOCKET

Listed among the sports events for Dixon and neighborhood tomorrow are: Dixon meets Rochelle and Mt. Morris in a triangular meet here; DeKalb in freshman-sophomore meet at Ottawa; Belvidere at DeKalb; Lee at Malta for baseball game.

LEAGUE NEST EGG

First to get behind the movement to sponsor a hardball league here for boys between the ages of 17 and 21 (approximately) is The Telegraph which will arrange a team to be managed by John Shultz. It is hoped that with one team already pledged to activity, others will follow suit so that a four-team league may be arranged for twilight games this summer at Reynolds Fields. The cost to the sponsors will be at a minimum and anyone interested in advancing the project is asked to call the sports department for arrangements.

PICTURE GALLERY

Enlarged pictures of the Dixon-Freeport track meet taken by a staff photographer will be on display starting this afternoon in the window of The Telegraph offices. In the collection are finishes of such events as the 100-yard dash, the 220-yard run, the 220-yard low hurdles, the mile run and the high jump.

FARM BUREAU TEAM

A practice game for the Ogle county Farm Bureau baseball team is scheduled for Saturday at the Mt. Morris high school athletic field. All of the Farm Bureau boys interested in playing this year have been asked to come to this first practice game. About 30 young men have signified their interest in the team. They have agreed to follow the recommendations of the Farm Bureau baseball committee to emphasize hardball this year for adult players, leaving the softball to the 4-H group.

DEADLINE EXTENDED

It was announced today that the deadline for entries in the city bowling tournament has been extended to May 5 and the entry fee per person-per-event has been slashed from two to one dollar. Entries may be made in the singles, doubles, or teams events—any one, two or all. The tournament will begin soon after the last entries are made.

NELSON CARDINALS WIN

The Nelson Cardinals defeated the Sterling Monarchs, 8 to 7, in a nip and tuck ball game at Nelson Sunday. The Cardinals scored the winning run in the last half of the ninth after the Monarchs had tied the count with a 7-all knot at the close of their half of the ninth. The outstanding feature of the game was the home run by Sharpe of the Monarchs on the first ball pitched in the first inning. Snyder and Wolf were the batteries for Sterling and J. Bohlen and Gale worked for Nelson. The Cardinals will play at Nelson again next Sunday and anyone desiring games with the Cardinals should get in touch with Eugene Ortgesen at Nelson, Phone 35140.

TRI-COUNTY BAILEY

There are plans for forming a tri-county baseball league in Forreston and the organizers would like to have one or two teams from Dixon. Many clubs from surrounding towns have signified their intentions of joining and anyone interested should get in touch with Al Rensema at Forreston, Phone 187.

AMERICAN LEAGUE LEAD HELD JOINTLY BY INDIANS, RED SOX

By JUDSON BAILEY

Associated Press Sports Writer

This is just a random thought

on April 30 that might not bear

inspection September 30—but

wouldn't it be funny if this year

the American League had one of

those raging three-or-four-way

battles right through the season

and the National League chase

developed into a runaway?

Could be, certainly.

Right now the American League

lead is held jointly by the

Cleveland Indians and Boston Red

Sox with the Detroit Tigers

scrambling just a game behind.

In the senior circuit the Brook-

lyn Dodgers are far out in front

with eight victories and no de-

feats.

The New York Yankees have

been making a farce of the

American League pennant man-

euvering for years, and they are

sure to be a potent force again,

but every sign points to a real

route battle this term. No other

team is capable of supplanting

them without a dogfight.

Lose League Lead

The Indians followed Bobby

Feller off the trail at Detroit

again yesterday, 4-3, and lost

their exclusive hold on the league

lead. Feller pitched six-hit

ball and struck out six, but he

allowed six walks in a throw-

back to his old wildness. Two

of these passes and a hit bats-

man filled the bases in the eighth

and then Feller walked another

to force in the winning run.

In the meantime the Boston

Red Sox set off a 19-hit bat-

tardment that rattled the Phila-

delphia Athletics, 11-3, and em-

phasized their claims as the hit-

ting leaders of the junior circuit.

Mickey Harris, the rookie find

from Seanton in the Eastern League,

had an easy assignment under

this cover and scattered seven

hits.

The Yankees ended their three-

game losing streak and Wash-

ington's five-game winning string

with a 5-4 triumph over the Sen-

ators, due to the pitching of Spud

Chandler and the three hits of

Catcher Buddy Rosar, who sin-

gled home the winning run in the

ninth.

The usually-flawless fielding

Yankees committed three errors,

let in two unearned runs and left

first base uncovered on a bunt

once. They looked like some-

thing at least as sharp as the

sudden return of Joe DiMaggio

would be needed to shake them

out of their doldrums.

Reds Edge Out Pirates

In the National League Cin-

cinnati's Reds edged out the

Pittsburgh Pirates, 3-2, although

Max Butcher pitched five-hit ball

in comparison with seven allow-

ed by Paul Derringer. In addi-

tion the Pirate right-hander bat-

tled in both his team's runs with

a single and double, but he balk-

ed to let in one run in the first

and Harry Craft and Bill Werber

homered for the two others.

The St. Louis Cardinals crowd-

ed past the Chicago Cubs, 6-5, in

10 innings in a game that had 28

hits including two home runs for

each side. But the Cubs left 17

runners stranded on base and in

the tenth old wild-horse Pepper

Martin singled in the deciding

run.

These were yesterday's only

games. The eastern teams of the

National League will open their

western swing today and the

American League scenery will be

shifted to the east.

What happens in the next two

weeks may determine which league

may have a runaway, if

either.

MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS

(By The Associated Press)

American

Batting—Wright, Chicago, .444;

Feller, Boston, .424.

Runs—McCosky, Detroit, 11;

Feller, Boston, and Judnich, St. Louis, 9.

Runs batted in—Feller, Boston, 16;

Doerr, Boston, 11.

Hits—Cramer, Boston, 18;

Wright, Chicago, 16.

Doubles—Stranger, St. Louis, 5;

Feller, Boston, and Chapman, Cleveland, 3.

Triples—Five tied with 2.

Home runs—Judnich, St. Louis, 5;

Feller, Boston, and Heath, Cleveland, 3.

Stolen bases—Feller and Doerr, Boston, 3.

National

Batting—Young, New York, .419;

Slaughter and Padgett, St. Louis, .390.

Runs—Leiber and Galan, Chicago, 20, 11.

Runs batted in—Lavagetto, Brooklyn and Nicholson, Chicago, 11.

Hits—Leiber, Chicago, 19;

Slaughter, St. Louis, 16.

Doubles—Leiber, Chicago, 6;

Padgett, St. Louis, 5.

Triples—Rucker, New York and Ross, Boston, 2.

Home runs—Six tied with 2.

Stolen bases—Frey, Cincinnati; Werber, Cincinnati and Ross, Boston, 2.

CURIOUS-EYED FISH

Analeps, or four-eyed fish, real-

ly have but one pair of eyes, but

each eye is capable of seeing in

two directions at once. One-half

of each eye is kept above water,

searching for food, while the

lower half keeps watch below the

surface.

Reds Edge Out Pirates

In the National League Cin-

Dixon Will Have Lighted Field

Season to Open With Mt. Morris Sept. 13

DARK AGES FOR DIXON FOOTBALL TEAM ARE ENDED

Board of Education Puts Stamp of Approval on Lighted Field

The "dark ages" are past; and the evil spirits and jinxes which normally haunt a Friday the 13th will be dispelled under a blast of Twentieth Century illumination in September when the Dixon Dukes open their football campaign here in a nocturnal game with Mt. Morris high school.

The board of education in special session last night put a final and unanimous stamp of approval on the project to light the local athletic field thus bringing to a conclusion an issue which has been pending for many months. The final action established Dixon along with the rest of the conference schools who have had lighted fields for a year or more and no longer can neighborhood schools, some smaller than Dixon, point fingers across their canvases and declare the Dukes "are in the dark."

To Cost About \$8,500

According to the present intentions of the school board the project is expected to cost about \$8,500 and will include ten poles—five on each side of the field—with a total of 60,000 watts. This means four bulbs on each pole for a total of 40 lights. Overhead wiring on wooden poles will be the construction plan.

Work on the project is expected to begin in July or August so that the equipment may be fully installed by the night of the opening game on Sept. 13 with Mt. Morris.

At last night's meeting at the high school O. W. Dodd, building and construction chairman of the board, made the motion for the lighted field and Charles E. Miller offered the second. Other members, including Dr. W. A. McNichols, F. K. Tribou, Robert Warner and James Palmer gave their assent. Dr. David Murphy, unable to attend, voted affirmatively by proxy.

To Sell Season Tickets

Season tickets to insure the maximum of attendance and a guarantee of public approval will be on sale soon and will offer a total of four home games for \$1.50. The night contests to be played here are: Sept. 13—the dedication game with Mt. Morris; Oct. 11—DeKalb here; Nov. 1—Sterling here; Nov. 11—the alumni game.

Cooperating with the board in an effort to stage a successful ticket drive will be a committee of citizens headed by Paul Potts. To Mr. Potts goes much of the credit for bringing the campaign to its present successful step. In the progress toward the lighted field and citizens in general have expressed their appreciation to the board of education for the meetings in which a working plan was outlined.

The board's approval of the project followed the request of 2,000 fans who affixed their signatures to a petition asking for the lighted field this year. Added to these has been the policy of The Telegraph which has supported the movement editorially since its conception. Many of the fans were enthusiastic today and happy to know that the grid teams of Coaches C. B. Lindell and Marvin Winger, for years outstanding clubs of the conference, will this season receive their rivals in a manner to which they are accustomed.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

Chicago—Eddie Lander, 132½,

Chicago, outpointed Joey Silva,

Salt Lake City—Tiger Jack

Fox, 180, Spokane, Wash., stopped

Ernie Collins, 180, Reno, (4).

Baltimore—Louis (Kid) Cocoa,

Hartford, Conn., 145, outpointed

Chaiky Wright, 130, Los Angeles,

(10).

Milwaukee—Tony Bruno, 160,

Milwaukee, outpointed Johnny

Phagan, 155, Chicago, (10).

Philadelphia—Milt Aron, 151,

Chicago, stopped Cal Cagni, 151,

New York (6).

New York—Tommy Tucker, 179,

New York, knocked out Frank

Donofrio, 175½, Philadelphia, (4).

Albany, N. Y.—Vinnie Vines,

143, Schenectady, N. Y., stopped

Pete Koloff, 141, Brooklyn, (2).

HEAD COACH AT OTTAWA

Ottawa, Ill., April 30—(AP)—

Homer Hankenson, former Carthage

college three-sport star now

coaching at Pana, was appointed

head basketball and football coach

at Ottawa high school. He formerly

coached at Paxton.

Robert McKay, director of ath-

letics here, will coach track only.

Mexico's motion picture indus-

try has "laid an egg." Production

was halted early in the year by

lack of capital.

How An Expert Does It



Jimmy Demarec illustrates. Left, weight back on right foot, clubbed leading hands at point of impact. Right, weight shifting from right to left at point of impact, hands, pivot and clubhead contacting ball simultaneously.

BOWLING

MATCH GAME AT DIXON RECREATION

Chrysler Garage

Klein . . . 145 142 154—441

Chapman . . . 155 157 129—441

A. Miller . . . 130 131 127—388

Shawyer . . . 160 155 134—449

Smith . . . 194 180 178—552

Total . . . 784 765 722—2271

Ives Concrete Co.

P. Carson . . . 149 190 138—477

Poole . . . 145 134 105—384

Ives . . . 138 114 96—348

Daschbach . . . 173 189 160—522

Delveiler . . . 160 178 157—495

Total . . . 765 796 656—2217

Dixon Recreation No. 1

M. Miller . . . 162 144 146—452

Chapman . . . 135 167 119—441

A. Miller . . . 143 147 157—447

Kieffer . . . 127 138 110—375

Daschbach . . . 107 142 115—364

Total . . . 674 758 647—2079

Dixon Recreation No. 2

Coleman . . . 111 154 153—420

Duffy . . . 135 151 108—394

Stitzel . . . 104 113 103—320

Huyett . . . 109 112 162—383

Delveiler . . . 137 125 188—450

Total . . . 596 655 716—1967

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Cincinnati . . . 6 2 .750

New York . . . 4 4 .500

Chicago . . . 6 7 .462

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St. Louis . . . 4 6 .400

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Boston . . . 1 6 .143

Results Yesterday

St. Louis 6; Chicago 5 (10 in-

nings).

Cincinnati 3; Pittsburgh 2.

Only game scheduled.

Games Today

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Brooklyn at Cincinnati.

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Boston . . . W L Pct

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Washington . . . 5 5 .500

New York . . . 5 4 .544

St. Louis . . . 4 5 .444

Philadelphia . . . 4 7 .364

Chicago . . . 2 7 .222

Results Yesterday

New York 5; Washington 4.

Detroit 4; Cleveland 3.

Boston 11; Philadelphia 3.

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The Veterans of Foreign Wars organization will have charge of the annual Poppy Day sale in Mount Morris on Friday, May 24, according to an announcement made by Commander Clint Frawert.

Miss Lucille Geiger who has been receiving treatment at the Mercy hospital, Chicago, is spending a week in the James Ferguson home before returning to her home in the southern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. George Neher and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Crowell and daughter Betty, spent the week end with the latter's brother and family, the Earl Michaels at Centralia.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Huffman are leaving this week to spend a month with relatives in Pennsylvania.

Chief of Police Hal Palmer is sponsoring a dance at the town hall Saturday evening, May 4, the proceeds to go toward treating the members of the grade school patrol to a ball game in Chicago this summer.

L. E. Lizer who has worked at the Kable Bros. company plant for 27 years in the stock and mailing department, retired last week. Mr. Lizer makes his home with his daughter, Mrs. William Brandt.

Jimmy Asp, a sophomore in the local high school, placed second in the state finals in humorous reading division. His selection was "Interviewing the Interviewer," by Mark Twain. Jimmy was accompanied to Champaign by his mother, Mrs. Francis Asp.

The P. E. O. will meet tonight with Mrs. Don Clark. Miss Mary Wishard will have charge of a program on drama.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Meader and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Meader spent Sunday with relatives at Fulton.

The Mount Morris Business Men's League voted to contribute \$25.00 toward the expense of sending 16 school musicians to the national music contest to be held at Battle Creek, Michigan, in May.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Smith were William Rounds and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gitchell of Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Kelly of Chicago were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stimax.

Delegations from Beloit, Rockford, Sterling, Dixon and Peoria attended the V. F. W. and Auxiliary installation of officers Saturday night. Past department president, Mrs. Clara Thompson, Peoria, was assisted by the color team of Rockford in the installing of Mrs. Clint Frawert and her corps of officers while Dr. Harry Davis was installing officer for the men's group. One hundred members of the local organization and their guests were present.

The Junior Woman's club dance Saturday night was well attended and was one of the enjoyable social events of the year.

HARMON
Mrs. Fred Powers, Reporter
Phone 17-11

St. Flannan's Church Notes
Rev. David Murphy, pastor.

Masses in St. Flannan's church will be at 7 o'clock on week days; 7:30 and 9:30 on Sundays.

Wednesday afternoon the members of St. Ann's society will meet in the church basement and officers for the coming year will be elected. Mrs. Margaret Byrnes and the ladies in her band will have charge of the social hour.

Ascension Thursday is a holy day of obligation and masses on that day will be at 6:30 and 8:30 a. m.

Friday is the first Friday of the month and mass will be at 6 o'clock. Confessions will be heard on Wednesday afternoon and evening and also on Thursday evening for those desiring to go.

The Novena services to Our Most Sorrowful Mother will be conducted at 8 o'clock on Friday evening. Sunday is the regular communion Sunday for the St. Ann society of the parish and masses on Sunday will be at 7:30 and 9:30 a. m.

Catechism classes will be conducted each Saturday morning by the sisters and the children are urged to be present to prepare for first holy communion and for confirmation.

Field Day Program

The teachers of the Rural Teachers' Reading circle have completed plans for the second annual May fete and field day to be held on Wednesday, May 1 at the Merchant school south of town. The program is as follows: 9:00 — roll call; 9:30 — ball games; 11:00 community singing, "God Bless America," flag salute, led by the Rhythm bands of

the McCaffery and Merchant schools.

12:00 — dinner; 1:00 — ball games; 3:00 — racing tournament; relays, ball, sack and dashes.

Plans are being made for approximately 200 children and the teachers assisting with the affair are: Mrs. Marie Malach, general chairman, assisted by Jane O'Connell, Mary McInerney, Eva Wadsworth, Evelyn Kranov, Agnes Lally, Celeste Askert, Monica Street, Annastasia Hermes, Elaine Kranov, Lenore Schwab, Frances Hernes.

With the Sick
Charles McCarter submitted to an operation for appendicitis on Saturday afternoon at the Dixon public hospital.

Miss Grace Brill has been confined to the Dixon hospital the past week where she underwent an appendectomy the early part of the week.

Mrs. Joseph Lund, a patient in the Princeton hospital, is making satisfactory progress friends here are happy to learn.

Mrs. Peter Winkle is improving steadily.

Attend Farewell
Mr. and Mrs. David Butler, Mr. and Mrs. George Glaser, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vaessen and Mr. and Mrs. Roman Malach were among those from here to attend the farewell party for Dr. and Mrs. Angear at the Sublette Community hall Thursday evening.

Local Briefs
Mrs. George Ross attended the meeting of the Home Bureau unit officers at the Masonic hall in Amboy on Friday afternoon. Chairmen, vice chairmen and secretaries of the units throughout the county met to make out a new program for 1940-1941.
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Anderson accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Anderson of Amboy and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anderson of Walton to Champaign on Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Thomas Anderson's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hill of Stockton were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hill and Mrs. Emily Hill in Walnut. Vernon Vondra accompanied the Hills here and visited his brother Vincent who is working for Charles Hill.

Miss Mary Meeker spent Saturday with Betty Jane Blackburn in Dixon.

Mrs. George Long, Mrs. William O'Brien, Mrs. Roman Malach and Otto Malach attended the card party in Sublette sponsored by the Sublette Catholic church.

Miss Margaret Lund, R. N., of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, spent the week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lund.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Higley of Freeport spent Sunday with relatives here.

Sheriff Gilbert Finch of Dixon was a business caller here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Egler and children of Rockford were Sunday callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Malach of Sublette spent Friday evening here with relatives.

Dr. H. J. McCoy of Dixon was a professional caller here Sunday.

Mrs. A. J. Keenan was hostess to 17 members of the Zion Household Science club on Thursday with an all day meeting and a delicious scramble dinner at noon.

Mrs. William Deitz and Miss Lenore Kofced attended the local leaders training school in Dixon on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Behrendt were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Stein in Lee Center.

NELSON
By MRS. M. C. STITZEL
Nelson—Armin Zanger of Rockford spent Thursday and Friday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Zanger.

Mrs. John Gale and baby son Edward Arthur returned from the Dixon hospital Saturday and will be at home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ortigies for a week. R. E. Williams, traveling freight and passenger agent for the C. & N. W. Ry., was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Stitzel Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Triggs have gone to Peoria to the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baker while Mr. Triggs is recuperating from his recent illness.

John, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bergonz was taken seriously ill Friday and is in a critical condition.

Miller S. King of Berkeley, Cal., was the guest of the G. W. Palmer and M. C. Stitzel families from Friday until Monday. He was in Chicago on business and made a short visit with relatives in Nelson on his return.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Coppotelli entertained at dinner Saturday honoring the birthday of their daughter, Mrs. Philip Banardi of Rock Falls. Larry Coppotelli, who spent the week end at home from St. Ambrose college at Davenport, Iowa, and Miss Catherine Purcell of the same city were other guests.

Mrs. Ada Beals spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Stitzel and Miss Ethel Taylor.
Mr. and Mrs. Vess McCord have purchased the property owned by Sydney Morgan and will make their home as soon as some repairs are made.
Wallace, son of Mr. and Mrs.

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Elementary School Pageant

Tickets are on sale for the annual music and gymnasium program of the Rochelle elementary school, to be presented at the Central school auditorium at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening, May 3.

This pageant, "Our American Music," will present in a colorful manner of singing and dancing the typical music of the various periods of our American history.

Beginning with the rhythmic chant of the Indians, the story of our musical development is carried through the period of colonization, of nationalization and of pioneering. We see how vaudeville had its birth in the minstrel show, how the beautiful negro spirituals grew from the hearts of the people into some of our finest sacred music, and how the people from the various sections of our country find relaxation in song and dance.

Various styles of music are represented, including patriotic, sentimental, religious, humorous, and "popular", as well as excerpts from some of our best known American composers.

Dr. H. J. McCoy of Dixon was a professional caller here Sunday.

Mrs. A. J. Keenan was hostess to 17 members of the Zion Household Science club on Thursday with an all day meeting and a delicious scramble dinner at noon.

Mrs. William Deitz and Miss Lenore Kofced attended the local leaders training school in Dixon on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Behrendt were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Stein in Lee Center.

Polomene Potters
On Thursday afternoon Polomene Potters gave a demonstration of pottery making to the local high school students. They displayed examples of pottery of long ago, and presented the opportunity of students to examine the display.

The Polomene Potters were representatives of the Extension Division of the University of Wisconsin.

Marble Tournament
The Marble tournament sponsored by the Philharmonic class of the Methodist church, was held at the elementary school play lot Saturday morning, with sixty-eight boys participating. Judges Chief Jacobsen, Art Hills, and Keith Wehner presented prizes to the following winners:

In the Junior division (boys under twelve years of age): Frankie White, first place; Dickie Walters, second place; Roy McLain, third place.

Two prizes were awarded to competitors of the Senior division, as follows: Bill Walters, first place; Robert Ewbank, second place.

Kite Flying Contest, May 11
Boys are already working on their kites for competitive entrance in the kite flying contest.

Henry Janssen returned from Well, Nevada, where he has been in a CCC camp for the past four months. He was very happy to be home again and will be employed by John Spangler for the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson of Sterling spent Sunday in the Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Eastabrook cabin.

A large number attended and enjoyed the fine program given by the pupils of the school Friday evening. The musical director was Mrs. Rae Kreider.

which is to be held on the ball field in the south part of town on May 11. It promises to be a highly interesting event.

Town and Country Club

Announcement has been made by the membership committee of the Rochelle Town and Country club, that dues must be paid by May 1, in order to play after that date.

The first Ladies' Day of the year will be held Wednesday, May 15. Officers of the Women's division are Mrs. Charles Kepner, president; Mrs. Wiley Owens, vice president; and Mrs. Harry Kopp, secretary and treasurer. Membership comprising the social, house and sports committees are as follows:

Social committee: Mrs. Frank Thorp, Mrs. Rae Anderson, Mrs. Ralph Cleveland, Mrs. Frank Under, Mrs. A. E. Kingma, Mrs. Clarence Anderson, Mrs. J. W. Whitson, and Mrs. Dan Taylor.

House committee: Mrs. Jack Countryman, Mrs. Frank Blumenshine, Mrs. Ed Morgan, and Mrs. Wilbur Stocking.

Sports committee: Mrs. John Tilton, Mrs. Fred Gardner, Mrs. Romeo Caron, Mrs. Owen Lamb, Mrs. Frank Kelley, Mrs. D. F. Hitchcock, Mrs. Earl Roeder, Mrs. Emmet Hayes, and Mrs. Eugene Bain.

Roof Fire

The local fire department was called about 2:45 o'clock Sunday afternoon to the home of Otto Stanzley, Avenue G, to extinguish a small roof blaze.

Moose Dinner Tonight

The Loyal Order of Moose and Women of the Moose are serving a dinner at the lodge rooms tonight at 6:30 o'clock. All members of the lodge and their families are invited. The meal will be served by the women of the Moose, and the men will furnish the entertainment.

The next regular meeting of the chapter will be held May 8.

Contagious Diseases

Though Rochelle school children are unusually fortunate in the rare epidemics of minor proportions that invade their ranks, it is reported that school authorities and parents are on watch at present for indications of chickenpox and "pink eye." A few cases have been reported.

STEWART

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Johnson entertained relatives from Iowa, Rockford and Rochelle for dinner on Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Kimball motored here from Laporte, Ind., Sunday and attended church services and met old friends at the dinner held at the church. The Kimbells were former residents of Stewart.

Miss Ruby Simpson of Aurora was a visitor here over the week end.

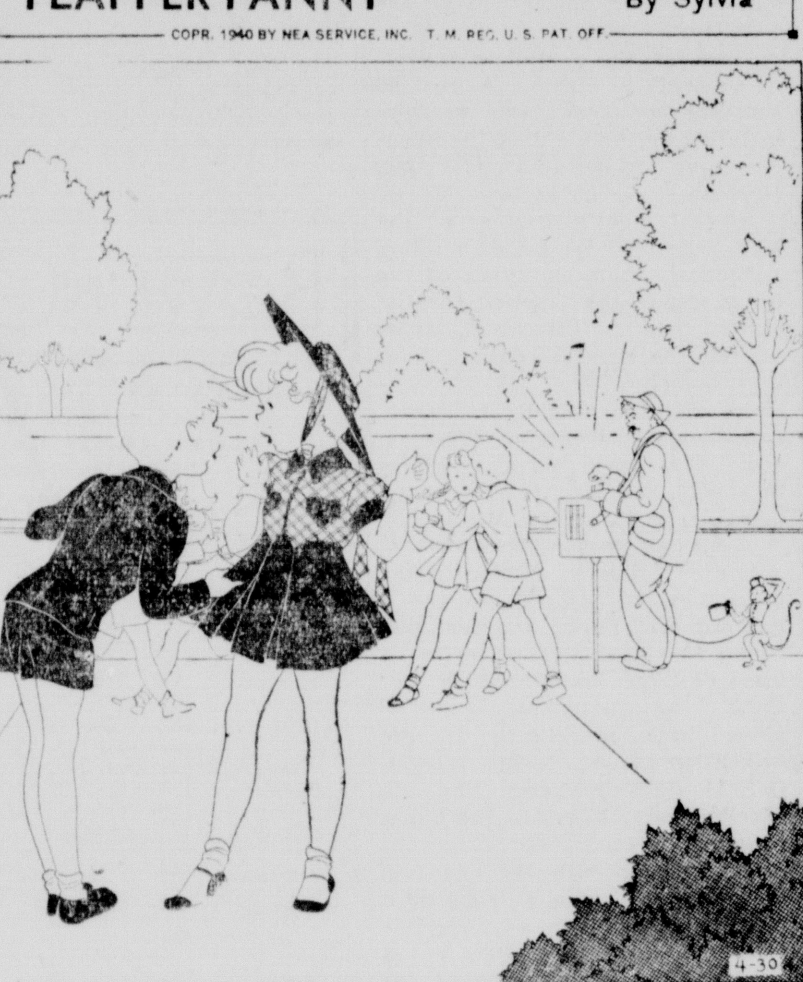
Mr. and Mrs. Allen Straley of near Oregon spent Monday here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Stauffer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harbicht visited Sunday at the home of their daughter near Davis Junction.

Mrs. Kitty Jordan of Iowa is visiting at the home of her son

FLAPPER FANNY

By Sylvia



"I'm sorry, this dance is taken. But I'll save one for you in the next block."

and family, Rev. and Mrs. D. M. Jordan.

The John Thorpe and Harlan Olsen families of near Creston were here Sunday enjoying the church dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Larson visited at the Olaf Kaalass home near Kirkland on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hess were in Shabbona Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Jordal called at the John Bord home Saturday evening.

Al Russell has been on the sick list and under the doctor's care.

Mrs. Margaret Durin, son Robert, Miss Sadie Parker and Mrs. Alonzo Coon motored to Big Rock Sunday afternoon and visited the nursery east of town and called at the greenhouse in Big Rock.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society will hold their monthly meeting on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Miss Elizabeth Hochstrasser.

The May luncheon served by the Ladies' Aid society to be given next Saturday will be served on small tables, four at a table.

Anyone wishing to reserve a table can do so by calling Mrs. C. W. Diller or Mrs. Lucien Hemenway.

HOPES HANG IN THE BALANCE

Palmer, Alaska—(AP)—Matauska Valley farm colonists may raise hemp for the ropes of the world if experiments at the Matauska Experiment Station continue successfully.

Superintendent Don Erwin said hemp sown last year grew seven feet high, and the harvest was sent to cordage makers in the United States for tests.

Hemp is largely grown in Scandinavia, similar to this section of Alaska in climate.

To save metal for war industries, German technicians have adopted cardboard for use as oil containers.

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Richard Meade
Reporter

Rural Commencement

Wednesday evening, five rural schools of the Paw Paw community presented nine pupils for graduation, at the Commencement exercises held at the high school gym, before a large audience.

The graduates took their places as Miss Agnes Truckenbrod played the processional. Rev. Hagerty gave the invocation which was followed by a cornet solo by John Edwards, accompanied by Miss Grace Larson.

Rev. Herman Meyer of the Baptist church, gave the address and chose as his topic, "Straight Ahead." In a very simple and understanding manner presented to the young graduates, the opportunities that lay ahead of them as applied to their education, physical and spiritual welfare.

Roberta Tarr rendered two vocal solos, and County Superintendent Torrens, then presented the diplomas in his first such appearance, since assuming his new office.

Rev. Hagerty dismissed the audience with the benediction.

Men's Council

The Men's Councils of the sixteen churches of the Ottawa Baptist association will have an important meeting Friday, May 3, beginning at 7:15 P. M. at the First Baptist church in Lamolite. Rev. John Herman, pastor of the Ainslee Baptist church in Chicago, will be the speaker.

Mr. Herman is considered an outstanding leader in Christian youth rallies and intercollegiate student movements. He is co-founder and director of the Christian Youth League. He has a real message for the men, speaking on the subject, "A Clarion Call to Men to America's Greatest Chal-

lenge". Be sure to attend this worthwhile meeting.

Earlville 4; Paw Paw 2

In a well played baseball game, Earlville high school defeated Paw Paw 4 to 2, on Friday afternoon on the local diamond. The game was a pitcher's duel between Brewer and Yarnell. Brewer out-pitched his opponent in all but one inning, the second, and Earlville combined three hits coupled with two Paw Paw mental lapses to score three runs and win the ball game. After that bad inning the game was excellently played in every department by both teams.

Bill Town, third baseman, and Junior Brewer, catcher, lead the Paw Paw attack with two hits apiece. Batteries — Paw Paw, Brewer and Junior Brewer, Earlville, Yarnell and Miller.

Play Day
The teachers of the Willow Creek Reading Circle sponsored a Play Day on Friday, April 26, for their pupils. The day event was held at the Town House north of town. Various games and stunts were enjoyed by the group. A picnic dinner was served.

Carrier to Chicago
Roger Miller, Paw Paw Telegraph carrier, enjoyed a week end in Chicago, along with 40 other boys, the trip being sponsored by the Dixon Evening Telegraph. The boys left Rochelle on a chartered bus Saturday noon, and took in the circus of Ringling Bros. and Barnum and Bailey. The boys were taken through a broadcasting station, enjoyed a visit to the field museum, and had a look at the Municipal airport. All in all the trip was full of fun and Roger as well as the rest of the young men will long remember this big time.

Bake Sale
The bake sale held at the meat market on Saturday and sponsored by the Methodist Ladies Aid was a big success.

Attend Birthday Party
The following attended the birthday celebration for Mrs. Ada Truckenbrod at Mendota on Wednesday: Mrs. J. C. Goble, Mrs. LeRoy Baker, Mrs. Randall Foster and son Mrs. Annie Wixom of Earlville, Mrs. Peter Firkins and daughter of Waterman.

Entertains Guests
Mr. and Mrs. William Gaines entertained the following guests at a Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Kennedy and family of Lebanon, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shehan, of Earlville, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Joflin and son of Baker.

On Sick List
Little Tommy Klatt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Klatt, is seriously ill at the present time. The many friends of the family hope for a quick recovery.

Here and There
Mr. and Mrs. George Amundson, Ray Politsch, Misses Marjorie Manahan, and Hazel Martin were Mendota visitors on Thursday.

Mrs. Susan Goble and Bertha, and Mrs. Viola Rosette visited the Goble's at the Waterman hospital on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Frey of Chicago were Sunday visitors at the Roy Englehart home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Clemmons of Compton were Sunday callers at the Frank Clemmons home.

Roger Potter of Belvidere spent

the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Potter.

Mrs. Robert Wheeler of Downers Grove spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Nellie Adrian.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Clemmons, Mrs. Irv Terry, and sons Wesley and Donald were Sunday visitors at the William Wangler home near Newark.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Hutchinson of Chicago, were week end visitors at the Mark Hopwood home.

Lloyd and Merritt Merriman and George Hopkins were Sunday visitors in Peru.

Dave Roberts of Polo spent Sunday at the home of his mother, Mrs. Blanche Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Tesson and baby, were Sunday guests at the C. A. Tesson home.

Earl Burk of near Meriden spent Sunday at the Antone Heafner home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee McLaughlin, Miss Roberta Stern and Homer Betz were Rochelle visitors on Saturday.

Mrs. Viola Rosette was a Sunday dinner guest at the Leonard Rosette home.

Mrs. Susan Goble and Bertha were in Lee on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Nevins and daughter, Ardise were DeKalb visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rosette were Ottawa visitors on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Baird and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baird were Sunday dinner guests at the Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rosenkrans home.

Mrs. J. C. Goble and Mrs. Randall Foster called on Mrs. Annie Fahler in Mendota Wednesday and enjoyed a visit with Mrs. Lidia Fahler who celebrated her ninety-sixth birthday, with open house.

Mrs. Fred Goble visited on Wednesday at the Mrs. Susan Goble home.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baird visited at the George Pierce home on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Amundson, Misses Alta Mae Marks and Hazel Martin were Dixon visitors on Sunday.

Mrs. Mable Knickerbocker and daughter and Charles Baird were Sunday afternoon callers at the Carl Rosenkrans home.

Frank Wheeler and M. M. Fell spent several days of last week at Centralia.

Mrs. S. A. Wright has been confined to her bed the past few days with an attack of lumbago.

Mrs. Ethel Moll has returned from her visit with relatives in Hershey, Nebraska.

Mrs. Bertha Englehart and Mrs. Delia Smith received a telegram from River Forest, stating that their great niece, Mrs. John T. Snow, has an eight pound son born on April 22.

Antone Haefer and Frank Clemmons made a business trip to Lacon Monday afternoon.

Wayne Wright of Lanark was in Paw Paw over the week end calling on friends.

Everett Urish, Leone Richard Hutchinson and Charles Gibbs were Rochelle visitors on Sunday evening.

Three Doctors Think Sex-Slayer is Insane

Crawfordsville, Ind., April 30—(AP)—Lawyers' final arguments in the first-degree murder trial of Thomas Allen Boys, 28, charged with the sex slaying of 11-year-old Elizabeth DeBruicker, begin before a Circuit Court jury today.

Judge Edgar A. Rise has allotted state and defense each three and a half hours for argument.

Both sides rested late yesterday after three physicians appointed by the court to examine the defendant testified that they believed Boys insane at present.

Two of them, Dr. John Sharp and Dr. Fred Daugherty, added that they were convinced Boys was insane last July 21 when the Fountain county farm girl was strangled near an Attica golf course where he worked.

The third, Dr. Robert R. Polom, did not state his opinion on that question.

The case is expected to reach the jury late tomorrow. It was venued to Montgomery Circuit court from Fountain county.

Mother of President Suffers Indigestion

New York, April 30—(AP)—Mrs. Sara Delano Roosevelt, 85-year-old

Gov. Horner Calls for Increased Old Age Pensions But He Leaves Finding of Funds Up to Assembly

Executive's Message to Special Session Read to Lawmakers

Springfield, Ill., April 30—(AP)—Governor Horner called for increased old age pensions in his message to the Illinois General Assembly today but left to the legislators the task of finding funds "to satisfy the added financial burden."

The governor urged passage of a bill to increase state old age assistance awards from a maximum of \$30 a month to \$40 a month.

Predicting there would be "no opposition" to the pension increases, Horner sent the 1200-word message to be read in the House and Senate at the first special session since the legislature adjourned June 30, 1939.

Without directly calling for new taxes to meet the cost of old age assistance increases—estimated at from \$4,000,000 to \$6,000,000 yearly—the governor's message declared:

"Measures should also be adopted by you to guarantee the ability of this state to satisfy the added financial burden which it must assume in order to effectuate such (pension) increase."

"Payment of awards," the message added, "has always been made from the general revenue fund; but further appropriation therefrom is impossible without drastic curtailment of vital state functions, unless added revenue is provided. During recent years, this fund has been steadily depleted by the ever-mounting cost of providing poor relief and old age assistance. At the same time, no new state taxes have been enacted."

"I feel certain that you will give the utmost consideration to the various aspects of this problem and that you will arrive at a satisfactory solution."

"To promise additional assistance without providing funds for its fulfillment would be a futile gesture and a heartless blow to the hopes of our deserving aged for a more adequate subsistence."

Explains August Veto
Horner explained in his message that he vetoed a similar \$40 a month pension bill last August because at that time Congress had not appropriated additional federal funds. A few days after the Horner veto, Congress passed a bill raising federal contributions to state old age pensions from \$15 to \$20 a month.

Governor Horner told the legislature that bills carrying out the administration's program had been drafted and predicted that "the subjects included should not necessitate a protracted session."

In his message, Horner also called for amendment of the state unemployment compensation law to conform with the federal statute which lifts the employers' tax from salaries over \$3,000.

"The lack of uniformity between the two laws is a source of inconvenience and unnecessary expense to employers subject to them," the message said. "Several millions of dollars annually in contributions could be saved by Illinois employers without impairing the rights of employees to benefits."

"Failure to alter our law in this regard will result in the continuance of a heavier obligation on Illinois employers than is placed on employers in other states, which situation could be remedied by amending our present law."

Sanitary District Tax
Reviewing the legislature's action in inadvertently nullifying the Chicago Sanitary District's tax levy in a legal battle at the close of the regular session last June, Horner asked for a bill permitting the district to levy \$5,000,000 yearly for 1940, 1941, 1942 and 1943.

Sanitary district officials favored a \$5,500,000 annual tax but in his special session call the governor sought to limit the levy to \$5,000,000.

Governor Horner said that \$5,000,000 annually "should, with economical and efficient administration, prove adequate for the needs of the district to meet the added costs of operating sewage treatment plants recently erected in compliance with a mandate of the United States Supreme Court."

"Numerous requests have been received by me," the governor's message continued, "from all parts of this state, for many other subjects to be included in this call. Although most of such requests

were upon meritorious subjects, yet, in my opinion, their consideration can well be deferred until the next regular session of the General Assembly."

Concluding his message, Horner informed the legislature that De Witt Billman, executive secretary of the Legislative Reference Bureau, was "definitely, though slowly, convalescing" from a six months' illness. Horner praised Billman's "brilliant and assiduous efforts" "to solve state problems."

Horner made no reference to his own illness which has kept him from his statehouse office for 17 months, save for infrequent appearances.

ASHTON

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Visit Children's Home

Eighteen Luther league members motored to Muscatine, Iowa on Sunday to visit the Lutheran Children's Home. Each member in the party chose one child in the orphanage as their "forget-me-not" pal, which they will remember during the year. Those attending were Cora, Dorothy, Harry and Anna Marie Schafer, Gertrude, Evelyn, Raymond, LeRoy and Ernest Eichen, Ina Klingebiel, Donald Cordes, Ralph Vogel, Ralph Fulton, Ralph Salzman, Henry Gonnerman, Rogene Hentert, Marion Aschenbrenner, Orva Schafer and Charles Vaupel.

Senior Class Party

The seniors of the Ashton Community high school will present their class play, "Life Begins at Sixteen," on Friday evening, May 3rd in the Mills and Petrie Memorial building. This play promises to be one of the successes of the 1940 season.

Woman's Club Breakfast

The Ashton Woman's club will hold their annual May breakfast May 4 at 12:30 o'clock at the Natchua hotel in Dixon. Those wishing to make reservations and also those who are planning to drive may notify Mrs. Claver or Mrs. Lacey. Each member is privileged to bring a guest. Transportation will be provided for those who plan to attend.

Town Topics

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hamel of Chicago were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hamel.

Mrs. William Klingebiel and daughter Ina were business callers in Rockford on Monday.

Adam Strube spent the past week at the home of his daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Heppner in Maywood.

Paul Glenn, who is a student at the University of Illinois, spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer Glenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tadd of DeKalb visited relatives in Ashton over the week-end.

Miss Roberta Brown of Joliet spent the week-end at the home of her sister, Miss Hattie Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gustafson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Oswald of Love's Park, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Linscott and son and Mrs. Grace Linscott and family enjoyed a scramble dinner on Sunday at the home of Mrs. E. S. Linscott and daughter.

Miss Phyllis Witzel, a student at the University of Illinois, enjoyed the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Witzel.

Miss Frances Kersten visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Fackler of Sterling over the week-end.

Miss Ina Klingebiel entertained a group of friends at her home on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stephens were guests of Mrs. Stephan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Baker near Streator over the week-end.

Week-end guests at the homes of Mrs. Henry Krug and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Moore were their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Moore of Morrison.

Friends of Mrs. George Shabacker, who is a patient in the Dixon hospital, will be pleased to hear that she is progressing nicely. Miss Nancy Brown will assist at the postoffice during Mrs. Shabacker's absence.

RADIO

Outstanding Programs For Tonight and Tomorrow Listed

TONIGHT

6:00 Secret Agent—WGN
Johnny Presents—WMAQ
Big Town—WBBM
Aldrich Family—WLS
Today's baseball game—WIND

6:30 Court of Missing Heirs—WBBM
Pot o' Gold—WMAQ
Information Please—WLS

7:30 Battle of the Sexes—WMAQ
Cavalcade of America—WBBM
We the People—WBBM

7:30 Prof. Quiz—WBBM
Fibber McGee and Molly—WMAQ
Fun with the Revuers—WBBM

8:00 Bob Hope's Show—WMAQ
Glenn Miller's Orch.—WBBM
Pan-American Union Concert—WBBM

8:30 Uncle Walter's Doghouse—WMAQ
Heart of Julia Blake—WBBM
Concert Miniature—WBBM

8:45 Four Clubmen—WOC
Freddie Martin's Orch.—WBBM

9:00 Lawrence Welk's Orch.—WGN
Amos 'n' Andy—WBBM
Pleasure Time—WMAQ

9:15 Lanny Ross—WBBM
Ace Brigade's Orch.—WBBM
Preston Bradley—WMAQ

9:30 Lou Breeze's Orch.—WMAQ
Todd Hunter—WBBM
9:45 Al Donahue's Orch.—WBBM

10:00 Louis Prima's Orch.—WBBM
Ben Pollack's Orch.—WMAQ

10:30 Art Kassel's Orch.—WGN
Tommy Tucker's Orch.—WBBM
Music You Want—WBBM

11:00 Plume & Earl's Orch.—WBBM
Fabian Andre's Orch.—WMAQ

11:30 Ben Pollack's Orch.—WBBM

WEDNESDAY

12:00 Young Dr. Malone—WBBM
Light of the World—WBBM

12:15 Girl Intermezzo—WBBM
Arnold Grimm's Daughter—WMAQ

12:30 Eddie and Fannie—WFL
Valiant Lady—WMAQ
Favorite Waitress—WBBM

12:45 Cooking Talk—WMAQ
My Son and I—WBBM
Spotlight Program—WFL

1:00 Story of Mary Martin—WMAQ
Society Girl—WBBM
Marriage License Romances—WGN

1:15 Orphans of Divorce—WLS
It Happened in Hollywood—WBBM

1:30 Ma Perkins—WMAQ
Amanda of Honeymoon Hill—WLS

1:30 Pepper Young's Family—WMAQ
John's Other Wife—WLS

1:45 Golden Gate Quartet—WOC
Vic and Sade—WMAQ
Bernard's Minstrels—WOC

2:00 Backstage Wife—WMAQ
Baseball Talk vs Boston—WBBM

2:15 Stetson—WBBM, WJJD and WFL
2:15 Stella Dallas—WMAQ
Club Matinee—WBBM

2:30 Lorenzo Jones—WMAQ
Melloaires—WOC

2:45 Widdler Brown—WMAQ
Painted Dreams—WLV

3:00 Girl Alone—WMAQ
Kathlene Norris—WOC
Gus Steek's Orch.—WBBM

3:15 Golden Sled—WOC
Kitty Keene—WMAQ
Andy Jones's Orch.—WMT

3:30 Midstream—WOC
Johnson Family—WMT
The O'Neills—WMAQ

3:45 The O'Neills—WMAQ
Scattergood Baines—WOC

4:00 Affairs of Anthony—WBBM
Don Bester's Orch.—WBBM
Tower Town Tempos—WBBM

4:15 Heart of Julia Blake—WLV
Houseboat Hannah—WMAQ

4:15 Uncle Mal's Stories—WMAQ
Hedda Hopper's Hollywood—WBBM

4:30 Five Men of Fate—WGN
Lil Abner—WMAQ

4:45 Rocky Gordon—WMAQ
Rocky Gordon Today—WBBM
Little Orphan Annie—WGN

5:00 Lowell Thomas—WLV
Jack Kelly's Orch.—WFL
Easy Aces—WBBM

5:15 Pleasure Time—WMAQ
Mr. Keen, Tracer of Lost Persons—WBBM

5:15 News of Europe—WMAQ

Lanny Ross—WBBM

Beauty With Orchestra



Sterling audiences who attend the afternoon and evening concerts given on May 7th by the Illinois Symphony orchestra under the leadership of Izler Solomon will see a tall, lovely blonde girl in the cello section at his right. And when there occurs an especially important passage for string instruments, they will be conscious of a vibrant mellow tone, dominating the other cellos and carrying the melody in the lower range in which the violins do not normally play. They will be listening to Jeniska Siebos, above, the first cellist and one of the youngest members of this nationally famous orchestra.

Miss Siebos, now twenty-three, was born in the Netherlands. She made her orchestra solo debut at the age of twelve in her home country, and when she came to America shortly after she won three consecutive high-school solo contests and won three scholarships for private cello study.

She was associated with the Chicago Civic Orchestra in 1935 and 1936, making a solo appearance at Orchestra hall in Chicago, and made her debut in recital the following year at Kimball Hall, also in Chicago. She played also with the Chicago Woman's Symphony Orchestra for two years.

Since the literature of the cello is rich in chamber music works, it was to be expected that Miss Siebos would affiliate herself with chamber music groups. She played with the Whitney String Quartet and the Salderberg Symphonietta, and appeared on the radio on WIND trio broadcasts.

Todd Hunter—WBBM
5:30 Burns & Allen—WBBM
Don Winslow of the Navy—WLV

Evening
6:00 Ben Bernie and All the Lads—WBBM
Hollywood Playhouse—WMAQ

6:30 Johnny Green's Orch.—WLS
Baseball—WIND

6:30 What Would You Have Done?—WLS
Avalon Time—WMAQ

7:00 Green Hornet—WFL
Fred Allen—WMAQ
Star Theater—WBBM

7:30 Concert Miniature—WBBM
Rov Shield's Revue—WBBM

8:00 Anson Week's Orch.—WIND
Glenn Miller's Orch.—WBBM

8:30 Kay Kyser—WMAQ
Frank Black Presents—WBBM

8:30 Prairie Folks—WBBM
Pageant of Melody—WGN

9:00 Amos 'n' Andy—WBBM
Answer Man—WGN
Preston Bradley—WMAQ

9:15 Ten O'clock Final—WBBM
Griff Williams' Orch.—WBBM

Lanny Ross—WBBM

POLITICS

AP Reports Gossip Among Politicians in Washington

BY WILLIAM B. ARDERY

Washington, April 30—(AP)—While Democrats made a bid for harmony between Roosevelt and Garner forces in Texas, prominent Republicans forecast today that their own platform committee would have its greatest battle over phrasing a "keep out of war" plank.

After a series of talks with Governor Harold E. Stassen of Minnesota, the convention keynote, party leaders disclosed a difference of opinion over the precise position which Republicans should take on foreign policy.

They generally agreed that the party should promise to keep the United States at peace, but they were split over the best methods of accomplishing that goal.

Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich.) and others were reported to want a strict "mind-our-own-business" declaration in the platform, while Senator Austin (R-Vt.) and some fellow Republicans were said to believe the United States should give what aid it could to the allies without itself becoming involved in the European war.

Among the Democrats, the Texas harmony move was instigated by Representative Rayburn and Lyndon Johnson of that state. It envisions a Texas delegation to the Democratic convention instructed for Vice-President Garner but pledged to support the administration record and avoid participation in any campaign to "stop Roosevelt."

That procedure was suggested by Rayburn and Johnson in telegrams last night to Texas factional leaders. The telegrams were sent after the two representatives had shown them to Roosevelt.

Selection of national convention delegates continued, meanwhile, with a primary election today in Massachusetts. On the Republican side, an unpledged slate of 34 headed by Governor Saltonstall was opposed by one filed by William H. Mcmasters, an old age pension advocate, and pledged to Thomas E. Dewey without the latter's consent.

A Democratic slate was pledged to Postmaster General Farley but state leaders have predicted it would support Roosevelt if he runs. The slate had some opposition in some districts.

Rhode Island Republicans in convention yesterday selected eight unpledged delegates, and Oklahoma Republicans chose 22 unpledged ones.

Republican platform talk was interwoven with discussions of Stassen's address to the Republican convention at Philadelphia, which opens June 24.

It generally was agreed that Stassen would offer no specific foreign policy, leaving that question to the platform committee.

Sugar is not one of the commodities lacking in wartime Germany. Moravian sugar beet fields, under the German protectorate, provide an ample supply.

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emotions and is long on horse-sense.

There seems to me to be no reason for changing this estimate of the line the Italian leader will pursue. However, it does strike me that he probably sees in the writing on the wall that this war is likely to be tricky in fast changes from now on. He knows he may have to make a quick decision—and he is preparing his people for an eventuality.

Much of the recent Italian propaganda has had a pro-Nazi and anti-ally tinge, and relations between Italy and the allied brotherhood have been rather strained. This has given the impression—and probably was intended to—that Mussolini was preparing to join Herr Hitler against England and France.

Now it is indeed possible that Mussolini is leaning towards Germany. However, I still think it will be governed by circumstances at the time he has to choose his side. There have been no indications that he has any deep affection for either the allies or his partner in the axis. What I believe Mussolini is doing is this:

The Italian people while loyal to their Duce, have little liking for Herr Hitler or Nazi principles. When I was in Italy at the end of 1938 I found sentiment very strong against the Nazi regime, and against the Rome-Berlin axis, for that matter.

It seems quite logical to think that Mussolini not only is preparing the public mind for war but is building up a case so that if he feels it necessary to join Hitler he will have Italy ready for it. He already knows his people would follow him into war on the side of the allies, and he may want to strengthen the other side—just in case.

Yesterday Mussolini appointed one of his closest advisers, Dino Alfieri, ambassador to Berlin. Many thought they saw significance in the fact that Alfieri is decidedly pro-German. Coincidentally in Berlin Robert Ley, leader of the Nazi labor front, represented England and France as common enemies of Germany and Italy, and proclaimed Italo-German solidarity for "victory."

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11 Fish.

12 Spite.

14 Dyeing machine.

16 Egyptian river.

18 Lateral.

19 Choice part.

20 Branch of mechanics.

22 A form of lac.

24 Long since.

25 Bitter herb.

26 Provided.

28 Baseball team.

30 To simmer.

31 Giant king.

32 Smart knock.

34 Canceled of stamps.

36 White-tailed eagle.

37 Soul.

39 Plaything.

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3 I am.

4 Being born.

5 In the middle of.

6 Expert flyers.

7 Note in scale.

8 To dedicate.

9 Nimble.

10 Boundary.

11 A famous school.

12 To deserve.

13 Circular wall.

15 He received fame or late in life.

17 Stiff collar.

19 Those who catch eels.

21 Iridescent.

23 To loathe.

27 Blowing machine.

29 To chew.

30 Furtive watcher.

31 English coin.

33 Hog.

35 Volume (abbr.).

36 Silkworm.

38 Chart.

41 Roof final.

43 Half-melted snow.

46 Dirt in smoke.

48 To honk.

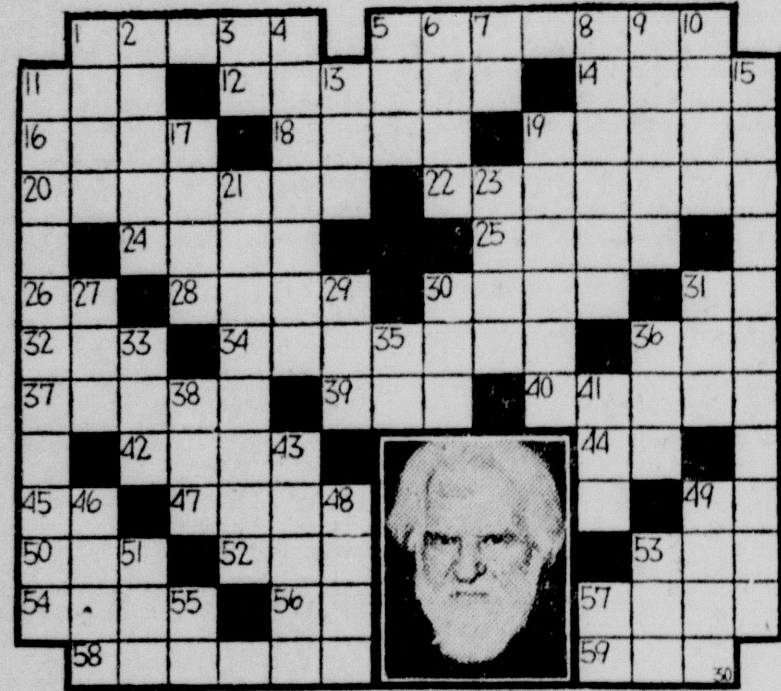
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51 Bird.

53 Broom.

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Just think of winning a free trip to the New York World's Fair and \$100 cash to cover expenses at the Fair! If you do not care to go to the Fair you may have the equivalent in money instead.

This is not a national contest. It is limited to automatic water heating customers of the Illinois Northern Utilities Company so that you have an excellent chance to win.

All you have to do is write an essay of not more than 500 words telling just what automatic water heating means to you. Perhaps you have already said the very words that would make you the winner. Simple, sincere statements about the convenience, economy and other features of automatic water heating are what we want in this contest. Here is how easy it is!

PRIZE

All expense trip to the New York World's Fair and return. You get a round trip railroad ticket with sleeping accommodations and \$100.00 cash for spending money. You may go whenever you please, do just what you desire. If you do not care to go to the Fair you may have \$175.00 in cash instead.

WHO CAN ENTER

Any customer of the Illinois Northern Utilities Company who has an automatic storage water heater served under the Company's special water heating rates. You must have an automatic water heater installed on your premises before you enter the contest so that you can fully appreciate its many benefits and advantages.

Any customer who has an automatic water heater installed by June 30, 1940, is eligible. Employees of the Company or members of their family living in the same household are not eligible.

RULES

Tell in not more than 500 words just what automatic water heating means to you.

All entries must be in an office of the Illinois Northern Utilities Company or in the mail, addressed to one of the Company's offices before midnight, June 30, 1940.

All entries become the property of the Illinois Northern Utilities Company and may be used in advertising.

The decision of the judges will be final.

Put your name, address, approximate date that the automatic water heater was installed in your home and the name of the dealer or company from whom it was purchased on the front of your entry.

Remember all entries have to be in by June 30, 1940!

Your automatic water heater dealer and employees of the Illinois Northern Utilities Company will be glad to help you in this easy contest. See them at once—you may be the one to win this grand vacation.

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This contest sponsored by Your Automatic Water Heater Dealer and the Illinois Northern Utilities Company